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Storms Hit South And Southwest

Casualties and Property Losses Mounting as the Picture is Unfolding

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 26—(AP)—A series of windstorms that have been buffeting the south and southwest since Thursday night, strafed Texas and Oklahoma today and wound-up with a machine-gun like assault on Arkansas this afternoon.

Casualties and property losses were mounting as the picture unfolded in Arkansas.

The known dead in five states—Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Mississippi and Louisiana—stood at 25, of which 19 perished today. Scores were injured.

Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas had been belted earlier.

It was not clear how many communities in Arkansas were hit, but it was around a dozen; all small places.

Today's storms didn't concentrate on a populated area as was the case early in January, when Warren, Ark., was battered with a loss of 57 lives.

The Casualties by States:

Arkansas: 16 dead, 79 injured.

Texas: One dead, 26 injured.

Oklahoma: Two dead and 20 injured at Crowder.

Mississippi: Six dead and 32 injured.

Louisiana: One injured.

Arkansas was the last of the states to be smacked by what appeared to be a tornado that hedge-hopped across the state in a northeastwardly direction.

There was one known dead and ten injured at Whelen Springs and at least five dead in the England vicinity. Other casualties were reported at Hazen and Beattyville.

Whelen Springs Hit First

The course of the Arkansas storm was in a northeastwardly direction from Texarkana, in the southwest corner.

Whelen Springs first was hit. Then in rapid succession, Sparkman, Sheridan, Scott, England, Hazen, Beattyville Cotton Plant, McCroy, Harrisburg and Clear Lake were reported struck. Newport was not hit as first reported. All of these places are small communities.

England, about 30 miles east of Little Rock, apparently was the hardest-hit in Arkansas. Ambulances were making round-trips, bringing injured to hospitals here.

The injured at Bettayville were taken to Newport, which led to the report that that North Arkansas river city had been struck.

Earlier, a tornado carved a swath five blocks wide through Crowder, Okla., after hitting two places in Texas. One person was killed at Crowder and damage was estimated at $200,000.

Property losses in other states were estimated in the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Hit Before Dawn

Both Crowder and Springtown, Tex., were struck by tornadoes before dawn this morning. A third near Eastland, in west central Texas, knocked down a switching station at the Texas Electric Service Co. power plant, causing $150,000 damage.

At least 20 of Crowder's 378 population were injured. Fourteen were brought to McAlester hospital. Two were reported in critical condition. Mrs. Jane Colbert, 75, was killed.

Crowder is 15 miles north of McAlester and 75 miles south of Tulsa.

Only a few stone buildings in its path remained standing after the twister passed through the heart of the town. Most business buildings and many residences were flattened.

Emergency Units To Crowder

The Oklahoma Highway Patrol, Red Cross and state National Guard rushed emergency units to Crowder.

The Texas tornado caused serious injuries to six persons at Springtown, a town of 850 situated 20 miles northwest of Fort Worth. A dozen homes and several business buildings were demolished.

High winds caused heavy damage yesterday in the Texas towns of Desdemona, Alvord, Seymour and Benjamin, and at Dallas. At least 18 were injured at Desdemona.

At El Paso, Tex., Albert Allen Avery, 36, was blown off a roof and killed.

The Weather

Fair west, partly cloudy east Sunday and cooler; increasing cloudiness Sunday night and Monday, followed by showers west Monday afternoon, warmer; highs Sunday 50s north to 60s south.

Thought For Today

Star unto star speaks light,
and world to world
Repeats the passage of the
universe
To God; the name of Christ—
the one great word
Well worth all languages in
earth or heaven.

—Bailey.

Humorist To Address Club

The next Knife and Fork club dinner will be for entertainment only of the members and their ladies—no great questions to solve—no duties to the rest of the world to be told about—just an enjoyable evening of "escape." The affair will be held Wednesday evening, March 30 at Bothwell hotel.



Ed Harding

Local club officers never heard of "collards" till Ed Harding, humorist, said he would talk about them here, after accepting the club's invitation. The dictionary says collards are a "variety of cabbage that does not gather its edible leaves into a head." Whether he expects to be on the sending or the receiving end of the collards, Mr. Harding hasn't said. Anyhow, it will be something different from previous dinners.

Club members have been telling officers and directors they want more variety in club speakers—and an occasional relief from world affairs and bread-and-butter "problems" so the officers invited the most renowned platform humorist they could find to come and oblige the members.

The dinner meeting will start at 7 p. m.

First Task to Establish an Air Academy

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(AP)—Rep. Irving (D.-Mo.) does not think Missouri has much chance of getting the proposed National Air Academy located at Sedalia airfield.

Irving said just that in a letter today to George W. Catts of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, "despite all the publicity that the Chamber of Commerce and Sen. Kem and Congressman Christopher have gotten in the local newspapers and on the radio out there."

(Sen. Kem (R.-Mo.) and Rep. Christopher (D.-Mo.) have both introduced bills to establish the academy at Sedalia.)

"The entire project could just as well be abandoned now" Irving wrote. "So far as the prospects for success through legislative enactment are concerned."

Afraid of a Stalemate

Irving said that eight states already have air academy site bills in the congressional hopper and three more are likely, with a combined house vote of 107. Ten of the 26 members of the house armed service committee, Irving explained, "come from states known to be eager to have the academy."

"If Sen Kem and Congressman Christopher continue to push their bills," Irving wrote, "the whole matter could end in a stalemate with nothing done."

He urged the Kansas City and Sedalia Chamber of Commerce to recognize that the first task was to get congress to establish an air academy. "Pressing our case on behalf of the Sedalia airport," he said, could come later.

New "Decals" Will Be Pre-War Type

City Collector Paul Alpert released pleasant news concerning this year's city auto tags. He said the new tags, which will be due June 1, will be decalcomania, the pre-war type that will stick to the windshield.

Checking for Clues in K. C. Slaying Case

Want to Question Woman Riding With The Death Victim

KANSAS CITY, March 26—(AP)—Charles Binaggio, north side Democratic leader today told police he could suppiy no clues to the slaying of Wolf C. Rimann, Kansas City sport figure of many enterprises.

Lieut. Charles Welch, head of the homicide unit, and Lieut. Lester Haupt, robbery bureau head, who is assisting him in the investigation, called Binaggio to headquarters this afternoon.

After an hour's conference with the north side leader, Welch said Binaggio denied having any knowledge of the slaying, adding that he did not know Rimann personally.

Welch quoted Binaggio as saying he was not involved in any liquor dealings here.

Not Interested In Liquor Business

"I have been approached by many whiskey dealers," Welch quoted the leader as saying, "but I have declined them all. I am not trying to go into the liquor business in any way. I have too many friends in the liquor business and I don't want to work in competition with them."

Haupt said he asked Binaggio to state his personal opinion on the cause of the slaying, and related that the political leader replied:

"From what I have read, it may have been the liquor business that got him killed."

Binaggio also disclosed, the officers said, that Rimann three weeks ago obtained a membership in the First District Democratic club, of which Binaggio is leader.

The officers said Binaggio told them he handles only one brand of beer and has "all the business I can handle," and the non-competitive feeling extends to marble machines, shuffleboard services and juke boxes.

Rimann, who was shot down by two gunmen last Thursday afternoon, was disclosed to have had partnerships in many taverns in Jackson county, a music box company besides serving as manager of the Hillcrest Country Club.

Plans To Question Woman

While police began a city-wide check of taverns and recreation spots in an effort to unearth clues, County Prosecutor Henry H. Fox, Jr., said he had received word that the woman believed to have been riding with Rimann shortly before he was killed would be in Kansas City tonight and he planned to question her. Fox said word of the woman's appearance here came from Springfield, Mo.

Earlier, Lieutenant Welch had made a plea that the woman report to police headquarters.

"We especially want to ask her if Rimann confided in her about the recent telephone threats he had received," Welch said.

More Gun Compartments

A detective tonight found two additional gun compartments in the specially equipped car used by the killers.

Officers already had found a hidden metal case for a machine gun or shotgun behind the back seat, and a large siren controlled by a button concealed in an ash-tray.

Tonight Sgt. Wayne Gibson, minutely examining the floor boards of the car, found two 12-inch compartments at the ends of the footrest ledge behind the front seat.

There was room for two pistols in each compartment.

The places were concealed so cleverly in the carpeted ledge they almost defied discovery, but were so accessible they could be opened with a kick of a foot, Gibson said.

Car Sold in St. Louis

An investigation in St. Louis revealed the 1948 black Ford sedan was sold there March 23, 1948, by Robert W. (Sonny) Williams, car salesman.

Williams said a "dark man who spoke broken English and said he was from Denver" paid $2,225 cash for the car. The salesman said the man insisted on buying a black car.

Police have found no further trace of the purchaser.

Grant of $2,620 Presented to Pettis County Cancer Clinic

JEFFERSON CITY—A grant of $2620 has been presented to the cancer diagnostic clinic for Pettis County by the state division of the American Cancer Society, George B. Larson, executive director of the Missouri unit, has announced.

The grant will be used for diagnostic equipment, clinic supplies and operating expenses at the cancer clinic at Bothwell Hospital in Sedalia and will cover the period from December 1, 1948 to August 31, 1949.

The cancer diagnostic clinic is held once a month for patients who suspect they may have cancer or who are referred there by their physicians. No charge is made. Materials have been donated by the hospital and it is staffed by members of the Pettis County Medical Society.

Filed by Pettis Countians

The project application was submitted by Mrs. John Welch, Sedalia Commander of the Pettis County Chapter of the Cancer Society and Mrs. George Fichter, Pettis County Commander of the Cancer Society; Dr. M. P. Shy, chief of staff of Bothwell Hospital; and Dr. E. L. Rhodes, president of the Pettis County Medical Society.

Grants of this type from the American Cancer Society are made upon application to the project committee of the state division: Dr. Edwin C. Ernst of St. Louis, chairman; Dr. Everett D. Sugarbaker and Edgar M. Eagan of Jefferson City; and Dr. E. Edgar Virden, Kansas City.

More than $80,000 for research, cancer diagnostic clinics and cancer detection centers has already been granted by the state division of the American Cancer Society for this year in Missouri. The nationwide drive for funds of the American Cancer Society will begin April 1, so that such project grants as these and the entire program of education, research and service to fight cancer may continue.

'Leave Us Alone Week' Is Already Something Special

DOUGLAS, Ga., March 26—(AP)—Rejoice, brother; comes now your week of freedom from "many, the moocher."

All you've got to do from April 1 to 8 is relax. Yes Sir, for one solid week no mooching, no extending of the palm.

No kidding, that is "national leave us alone week" and it has nothing to do with April fool, either. Not only is it recognized as a special week, a sort of be kind to the citizen week, but it has strong backing in high White House circles.

The U. S. department of commerce already has listed the week, fathered here last year by F. Lander Moorman, in its 27-page, single-spaced booklet entitled "special days, weeks and months in 1949."

And just last month Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan, military aide to President Truman, wrote Moorman:

Suspicion Aroused

"After having been exposed to 'eat more sauerkraut week,' 'national eat week,' 'eat more honey for breakfast week,' I would even be suspicious of the suggestion 'be kind to your mother week.'"

That is a bitter statement to come from one in such position but the only suggestion General Vaughan had after reading of Moorman's idea was "extend it."

Like almost everybody else, Moorman last year became fed up.

There was national Idaho potato and onion week, large size week (to promote the economy size package), crochet week, hot tea week; sew and save week, save your vision week, sportswear week, and so on and on and on.

Where Idea Originated

Weak? Moorman was. He had paid his income tax and donated to this and that, all worthy causes, but he figured he needed at least one week in which to make enough money to carry on the next 51.

Moorman was a newspaperman. He was working up to a nervous breakdown wondering whether the next fellow coming in the door was going to play give or take. Cautiously he advocated in his weekly, which he has since given up, the idea of "leave us alone."

"Since merchants are the chief supporters of such drivers," he says, "I felt they deserved a week of their own to put on special sales, increase their advertising and wait on customers for a change. . ."

The reaction was remarkable. All over town merchants put up signs "open for business—customers only."

A Parade In Georgia

The thing snowballed until Moorman was getting congratulatory letters from similarly harassed people in Seattle, New York, San Diego and points in between.

In Douglas, though, the thing has developed a sort of paradox. This year there is going to be a parade with trimmings, including selection of a local beauty to be known as "Miss leave us alone."

Anyhow, that's the situation. For one week everybody leaves everybody alone. No appeals, no nothing.

There may be no connection, but the week of April 1-8 also is "national laugh week."

Relax and laugh, brother.

Thrown From Saddle Horse

Paul Hausam, 2230 West Third street, was rushed to the Bothwell hospital in an unconscious condition, Saturday afternoon, after he was thrown from a saddle horse which he was riding from the Hausam farm north of Sedalia, en route to the fair grounds.

The first to see him lying in the middle of the road, about three miles north of Sedalia, was his wife who was driving their car home. She called the ambulance and proceeded to the hospital, where Dr. E. L. Rhodes treated his injuries, consisting of a laceration of the scalp, sprains, and bruises. Several hours later, Mrs. Hausam reported her husband much better.

The animal was believed to have been scared by a raincoat which was flopping with the wind. While attempting to take off his raincoat, Mr. Hausam was thrown on the gravel road.

Case Under Advisement

JEFFERSON CITY, March 26—(AP)—Circuit Judge Sam C. Blair took under advisement today whether he has a right to order Southwestern Bell Telephone company to return to customers rate collections allegedly excessive.

Attorneys for Kansas City, Trenton, St. Louis, Kirkwood and University City argued that Judge Blair had that jurisdiction.

But John Mohler, St. Louis attorney for the utility, and John Randolph, chief counsel for the Missouri public service commission, argued otherwise.

Mohler and Randolph contended that all Missouri statutes provide for court impoundment and return of funds in cases involving only rate decreases. They said the legislature in writing the law was careful not to refer to rate increases.

Jerome Joffee, representing Kansas City, said the intent of the legislature was clear to him. He said the law plainly implied that it should be operative over rate increases also.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Mary Lyle, 916 South Kentucky avenue; and Miss Marcia Laird, of Warsaw.

Dismissed: Mrs. Lena Luetjen, Route 3, Cole Camp; Mrs. Bishop Wasson and son, Route 4, Sedalia; Mrs. Bud Raines, and daughter, of Warrensburg, Mrs. Daniel Heizman and son, Warsaw and Mrs. Hazel Jamison, of Smithton.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. George B. Berthouex, 1608 East Sixth street.

Admitted for surgery: Sharon Landes, Route 3, Sedalia, 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Landes.

Dismissed: Ruth Delta Ross, State Fair and Broadway; Mrs. John R. Lyle, 916 South Kentucky avenue; Marcia Laird, Warsaw; Mrs. Joe Baier, 1503 West Sixteenth street; Dick Thomas, Beaman; Mrs. Cecil Wilburn, Hughesville and Mrs. W. D. Williams, Route 5, Sedalia.

Cancer Clinic Thursday

The Cancer clinic will be held at the Bothwell hospital Thursday afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00 o'clock.

Notify Office if You Fail to Receive Your Newspaper

If you fail to receive your Democrat please call 1000 before 7 p. m. An extra paper will be delivered to you after 7 p. m.

On Sunday mornings if you fail to receive your Democrat, and Capital please call 1000 before 10 a. m. An extra copy will be delivered to you after 10 a. m.

News Briefs

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(AP)—Veterans' pensions bounced back from a mauling today and headed for another roaring fight in the house.

This time there's a good chance the bill will pass.

A call went out to the house veterans committee today to report for work on a new measure Tuesday. It is a less expensive model of the one the house tossed around for three days and then rejected on Thursday by a one-vote margin.

It is limited to low income World War I veterans and would give those qualifying $72 a month when they reach 65.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—The western powers announced today they will switch 52 square miles of western Germany to Germany's neighbors—the Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, the Saar and France. It involves 31 small parcels of land.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—(AP)—The State Department, it was learned today, is quietly arranging a three power foreign ministers' meeting on western Germany to be held here in about 10 days.

The meeting will try to settle among the United States, Britain and France critical issues delaying final unification and further economic development of western Germany.

The conference is timed to take advantage of the fact that British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin and French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman will arrive in Washington late next week. They will attend the signing of the North Atlantic Treaty April 4.

MADRID, March 26.—(AP)—Spain implied today she would approve acceptance by Portugal, her ally in the Iberian pact, of an invitation to join the North Atlantic Alliance.

FRANKFURT, Germany, March 26—(AP)—Germans reacted bitterly today to the news that they must give up territory to France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

Although the announced adjustments of the frontier involves only 52 square miles, they brought forth some of the most violent German denunciations of the western allies since the war.

WASHINGTON, March 26—(AP)—An estimated $56,518,421 has been saved by armed services economies under unification, defense secretary Forrestal said today.

This came through reduction of overlapping and duplication, Forrestal said. The unification act was passed in June, 1947.

The total includes $25,369,006 annual savings and $31,148,415 in one-time enonomies.

Authority On Balloon Flight Dies

REDWOOD CITY, Calif., March 26—(AP)—Lt. Col. Albert William Stevens, holder of the world's record for stratosphere balloon free flight, died today in Letterman General Hospital. He was 63.

Col. Stevens, a nationally recognized authority on balloon flight, had been ill for a long time in the Presidio Army hospital at San Francisco.

Home From Hospital

Mr. J. W. Larabee, of 1006 East Fourth street, has returned from the hospital in Columbia and is getting along satisfactorily.

Beauty Queen Slaps, Kicks, Pilot Husband

He in Turn Gives Her a Spanking In Hotel Lobby

NEW ORLEANS, March 26—(AP)—Beauty queen Barbara Jean Floyd bit, slapped, scratched and kicked her air pilot husband today, and got a spanking in return.

But the paddling "didn't hurt a bit," she said, "because I had my girdle on."

The fracas took place in the lobby of a hotel, before reporters and photographers who waited hopefully for several hours, aware of her ire.

Red-haired Barbara Jean's Irish temper was up over published statements by her husband, Capt. George Cauthen of McBee, S. C., concerning their South American marriage. She wants the marriage annulled.

Barbara Jean, "Miss New Orleans of 1948," met and married Cauthen seven weeks ago while she was on a tour trying to stir up a Pan-American beauty contest. Cauthen, pilot for a Colombian air line, is 28. She is 18.

At First Denied Reports

She returned home a week ago and at first denied newspaper reports of the marriage. Then she said she had married him only because she was out of funds, and hoped he could wangle transportation for her tour.

Cauthen arrived here yesterday, coming "to see if I could straighten things out." The pair met twice yesterday, briefly, and she told him "I want a divorce."

This morning she read a newspaper interview quoting him as saying "I've just been taken; "that her mother told him he was "in for trouble" when he married her; and that her actions has created "undesirable reaction" in Latin America.

Barbara Jean went looking for him.

Waited For Him

Told he was out shopping, she searched through stores, restaurants and bars, with photographers and reporters trotting behind her. Finally she returned to his hotel and waited.

As he entered the lobby she was sitting with her shoes off, holding a rolled-up newspaper containing the story of their tangled romance.

He smiled, as if in welcome. But in a flurry of fast action she:

Struck him in the face with the newspaper.

Kicked away a suit box and shoe box he held up for protection.

Knocked off his dark glasses.

Pulled his hair and scratched his face.

Bit his leg, tearing his trousers and leaving lipstick smudges on the dark blue suit.

Twice pulled him back as he tried to climb a stairway and flee.

Apologized To Hotel Management

Cauthen, smiling and apparently confused, held her wrists, apologized to the hotel manager who stood near. Finally Cauthen said, "you asked for it, Barbara." Pushed her to the floor, turned her over his knee and gave her several whacks on her gray gabardine suit.

Finally breaking away, Cauthen ran up the stairs. She followed to his third-floor room, challenging him to come out and fight. He kept the door closed.

"This publicity will be bad for him," she observed. "In South America a wife never hits her husband."

Then she headed for a newspaper office and waited until the next edition came out with a picture and story of the fray. She protested bitterly over a headline, "Husband Spanks Beauty Queen."

"What do you mean?" she demanded. "I won the fight. I'll take on Joe Louis, too."

Cauthen said later he had telephoned her mother, Mrs. B. P. Floyd, and had an amicable 30-minute conversation. He said he invited her parents to dinner but they declined.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Ira Landon, 1101 East Eleventh street, of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia; and Mrs. Joseph F. Johnson, 1400 East Twelfth street.

Admitted for medical treatment: Marcia Jane Hood, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Hood, Tipton.



J. W. Burch, director of the Agriculture Extension Service of the University of Missouri, who will be guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Rotary club, at the Bothwell hotel, at 7:00 o'clock Monday night, at which time approximately 70 farmers will be club guests. The rural urban committee is in charge, Roy I. Coplen, the program chairman.

Appeal for All Americans to Join in Drive

For Regular Overseas Relief Organizations

WASHINGTON, March 26—(AP)—President Truman issued a call tonight for Americans to join in a special world relief drive and thus help destroy the "barriers of distrust and propaganda that divide us from our fellow men."

The President's appeal was in behalf of an interdenominational fund raising collection which will be taken up in some 76,000 churches across the nation tomorrow. The money is to be used by the various participating religious groups for their regular overseas relief organizations.

Truman Climaxed Broadcast

Mr. Truman talk climaxed a coast-to-coast broadcast entitled "one great hour" carried by all three major radio networks. The program originated in Hollywood where Gregory Peck, Ida Lupino and Robert Montgomery took lead roles in three dramatic sketches depicting the plight of war victims abroad.

"To the millions in the world who cry out in their despair for a new day of freedom and justice," the President said, "we here in America, out of our strength and by our example can give hope and comfort."

"I urge you to go to worship tomorrow, each in his accustomed place, to thank God for our heritage and our strength, and to ask him for the grace and power to carry out his will in this troubled world."

Bill to Give Land to Scouts

Dan D. Doty, state representative from Pettis county to the State Legislature, said Saturday night that he would introduce a bill in the house Monday morning to donate forty acres of state property to the Girl Scouts of Sedalia.

Representative Doty said this property is located about 3½ miles southwest of Sedalia. He said the state purchased this land about twenty years ago to build a school for wayward Negro girls. The school was built elsewhere and for the past ten years the Girl Scouts have been leasing this property for one dollar a year with the understanding that in case the state wanted it back, the scouts were to give it up in 90 days.

Doty said it would be a nice thing to obtain this land for the "mothers of tomorrow." He said the girls would work harder in their projects, because they would be working with something that belongs to the Girl Scouts of America, their own organization.

Marriage License Issued

Andrew W. Droege, Knob Noster, and Cody Janney, Sedalia.

H. R. Homan, Smithton and Margie Rudert, Sedalia.

Rent Law Conferees Deadlocked

On What to do About Rent Hikes; Senate and House Only One Word Apart

By Marvin L. Arrowsmith

WASHINGTON, March 26—(AP)—Senate-House conferees on rent legislation deadlocked tonight over what to do about rent increases.

The conference committee trying to iron out differences between the House and Senate bills broke up after more than seven hours of trying to reach an agreement.

The present rent law expires next Thursday, March 31.

Senator Sparkman (D-Ala.) told a news conference the House conferees rejected a compromise proposal advanced by the group. He said the two sides were only one word apart, but could not get over that obstacle.

Sparkman said the joint committee will meet again Monday morning.

"We are deadlocked now all right," the senator said, "but I am optimistic about an agreement Monday."

Hope For Agreement

The House members of the conference committee plan to meet before the joint session, and Rep. Spence (D-Ky) told reporters he expects the House delegates can reach an agreement among themselves then.

The bill passed by the Senate provides for some rent increases up to 10 per cent, in two five per cent steps.

Sparkman said the Senate group agreed to drop that provision and take in lieu of it, with modifications, a House provision providing for a "reasonable return on the reasonable value" of the landlord's property.

Sparkman said the House conferees balked at the inclusion of just one word on the proposed modification of the House section. He didn't say at once what the word was.

Senate Group Shocked

Sparkman said he and the other members of the Senate group were "shocked" when the House members refused to accept the compromize.

Senator Flanders (R-Vt) stalked angrily out of the room. He told reporters he does not believe "it's just one side being stubborn."

Senator Maybank (D-SC) said he opposed a proposal that the conferees try again for an agreement at a Sunday session.

The conferees had agreed earlier today that rent controls should be extended 15 months. The standard for granting increases to landlords stood out at the main stumbling block.

The conferees previously had adopted a Senate section providing for broad "home rule" decontrol. Under it, states, cities, towns and villages could get rid of rent controls any time if the state governor approved.

Up To Expediter

Before the log-jam at today's session, the committee also agreed to give the federal housing expediter discretion to free so-called luxury apartments from rent controls.

The bill passed by the Senate provided for decontrolling such units renting for $290 or more a month in the case of dwellings occupied by a single family.

The conferees struck out the $290 figure and voted to let the expediter decide what it should be.

The conferees also voted to re-control trailer camps used for permanent residence. Under the Senate bill, the expediter could do that only if the local rent advisory board recommended it. Under the compromise, such camps are re-controlled automatically.

Democratic Party Meetings

Campaigning is to start for the Democratic party Tuesday night and will continue until the city election, which will be held in Sedalia, Tuesday April 5.

This election is to elect five city councilmen, a city attorney, and a member of the school board. Democratic candidates up for election are: 1st ward, Peter R. Menefee, 2nd ward, Walter A. Smethers, 3rd ward, Emery L. Ellsworth, long term, and Earl H. Lashley, short term, and John Vandekamp of the fourth ward. James Durley is the Democratic candidate for city attorney and Palmer R. Nichols for the school board.

Starting nightly sessions of talks will be Henry C. Salveter at Mark Twain school, Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock. Prosecuting Attorney William F. Brown will be the principal speaker at a rally held at Washington school, Wednesday night.

The second ward meeting to be held at Jefferson School will have Jack McCloskey as the main speaker, Thursday night. Frank W. Hayes will speak Friday night at Horace Mann school.

Candidates will be introduced and will talk in behalf of their candidacy.

New Unemployment Claims Have Dropped Here Recently

There is still unemployment in Sedalia, but new claims for employment have dropped recently, according to O. R. Catron, manager of the Division of Employment Security, 500½ South Ohio avenue.

Figures show that for week ending January 21, 75 new claims were received, and for a full week ending March 18, the number of claims had dropped to 29. These figures include claims for Pettis, Johnson, Benton, and Morgan counties.

Although fewer claims have been filed in March, Mr. Catron pointed out that a number of persons who registered for employment during January haven't gone back to work as yet.

There has always been more men than women who come to the office seeking employment. This does not necessary mean that there are more unemployed men than women, but it was pointed out that when a man is laid off or in need of a job, he is more or less be forced to register for a job before a woman, who on numerous occasions are not dependent upon a job.

More employment should be available now that seasonal jobs are underway, such as farm work, construction, etc. Mr. Catron official announced that thirty-five men from this area are needed for a railroad job near Kansas City which will perhaps last all summer. The men who are accepted will start to work Monday.

Figures showed that farm wages were equal to city wages even though the monthly salary was lower, but considering rent, garden, milk, and meat which is furnished the farmer, his income ordinarly ranks with the average city worker.

The Daily Washington Merry-go-Round

by Drew Pearson

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Drew Pearson says: Chief Justice Vinson soothed Truman's temper at at Key West; Harry Vaughan credited with appointing a federal judge who once got heavy OPA fine; Senator Ferguson faces campaign cotribution trouble in Michigan.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Insiders credit wise old Chief Justice Fred Vinson for the the meek and mild way his friend Harry Truman came back to Washington.

It was the sagacious chief justice, they say, who sat on the beach at Key West during the days when the President was receiving his worst defeats and gently gave him counsel about how to get along with congress.

Probably no one outside of Bess Truman has more influence with the President than the chief justice. He has stuck with him at all times, especially when the going was tough. He never gets ruffled, never goes off on tangents, always puts the country's interests first.

Furthermore, no one else around Truman is in a better position to guide him on the problem of getting along with congress. Vinson spent long years in the house of representatives, worked his way up to a place of powerful leadership, then became a court of appeals judge, and stepped down from the bench to help the Roosevelt administration during the war emergency.

As a result, Vinson knows just about all the gamuts of government. And while he realizes Harry Truman's failings he never talks about them, is completely loyal.

Vinson is one who believes you can't win a fight with congress by losing your temper. So, while loafing on the beach at Key West he diplomatically got across his ideas on congressional-presidential team-work. The President listened and came back a soothed man.

General Vaughan Scores

Gen. Harry Vaughan, the President's jovial military aide, was out of luck when it came to a U. S. loan to his admirer, Dictator Peron of Argentina. However, it looks as if Harry had quietly scored an interesting victory close at home.

Milton Kronheim, Jr., a prominent Washington liquor dealer and close friend of Vaughan's, has just been appointed a municipal court judge for the District of Columbia.

One interesting angle about his appointment is that during OPA days, the biggest blackmarketing fine ever paid was by Kronheim and Son, the very same liquor dealers. They paid the large total of $200,000, though Senators Wherry of Nebraska and Ferguson of Michigan said it wasn't enough and raised cain because they did not go to jail.

Now, the son, Milton Kronheim, Jr., who was in the liquor firm at that time, has been appointed to an important Washington judgeship.

Vaughan and the Kronheims make no secret of their close friendship. Only recently at the Jackson-Jefferson day dinner, the President's military aide sat with them at the same table. And on the Presidential special train to the Army-Navy game in Philadelphia a year ago Vaughan, Kronheim, Sr., and John Maragon, another pal of Vaughan's, rode in the same compartment. Compartments on the President's Special are obtained only by a very few.

John Maragon, an ex-bootlegger, is another intimate of Vaughan's, who always seems to have ample supply of liquor on hand. Affable Milton Kronheim, Sr., when once asked whether he kept Vaughan in supply, modestly admitted: "The General touches me for a bottle now and then."

Government officials have long wondered why Vaughan took such an interest in the liquor business. During food-saving days when the distillers were on a tight grain ration, Vaughan had the nerve to call up the office of Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson and demand in stentorian tones that the whisky dealers' grain quota not be cut.

However, the Kronheim family and associates contributed $15,000 to the Democratic party in the last campaign, with only $100 to Dewey. And when Kronheim, Jr., a likable young man, came before the Senate judiciary committee Senator Ferguson, his old critic, did not object.

Note—Kronheims also furnish liquor for Democratic shindigs.

Michigan Scandals

Some significant campaign contributions have cropped up in Michigan as a result of the Senate election committee's probe of Senator Homer Ferguson. The interesting question is whether $17,400 paid by Preston Tucker allegedly to hush us the Ferguson probe of the Tucker automobile scandal ever got back to finance Ferguson's campaign.

On Oct. 12 this column revealed some sensational facts regarding the sudden manner in which the Tucker automobile probe was dropped like a hot potato by Ferguson, who at that time headed the Senate's most important investigating committee. A little over $17,000 was paid by Tucker to Mrs. Dudley Hay, then Republican national committeewoman from Michigan and secretary of the G.O.P. national committee.

At that very moment Ferguson had investigators in the Tucker plant in Chicago making a thorough probe and was reported ready to hold public hearings.

But on May 9, 1947, Mrs. Hay came to Washington, called Ferguson's secret phone number, which few people had; then, again in Washington May 15-16, again called the Capitol several times; returned to Washington again June 1 and called Ferguson's private number twice. Again, on June 11, Mrs. Hay returned to Washington and twice called Ferguson's private number. Simultaneously Tucker was in Washington.

Shortly thereafter Ferguson's probe of Tucker was dropped.

Several Tucker employes state that at about this time he told them he had employed a "political figure" in Michigan to call off the Ferguson committee and that it was the "best money he ever spent."

At any rate, Ferguson's probe of Tucker not only stopped, but was never resumed.

Some Tucker Money Returned

Meanwhile Senate investigators have interviewed Mrs. Hay in Romea, Michigan, who has refused to say where any of the money paid her by Tucker helped finance the 1948 campaign of Senator Ferguson and other Republicans. Mrs. Hay admits that she and her husband received the money, but explains it was paid by Tucker for an appraisal which her husband made of the Tucker auto plant. Mr. Hay is not an engineer, nor has he had any established experience as an industrial appraiser.

Mrs. Hay also revealed to investigators that Tucker later gave her six additional checks totaling $3,000, made out to the Republican finance committee of Wayne county, Michigan. The checks, each for $500, were signed by six different men, whom Tucker described as his Chicago business associates.

By this time, Senator Ferguson appeared to be getting worried. For Mrs. Hay informed Senate investigators that he demanded that these six checks be returned to Tucker. This she did.

Significantly, Mrs. Hay took the trouble to deposit the $17,400 Tucker originally gave her, not in Michigan, but in a bank in Clarksburg, W. Va.

The Senate investigation of the Ferguson election is continuing.

Latin America Vs. North Atlantic Pact

Despite Dean Acheson's assurance that the North Atlantic pact "will not increase their obligations," Latin-American statesmen and diplomats are inclined to regard the text of that agreement with dubious eye.

One noted Latin president reacted privately as follows:

"To say that our obligations will not be increased is patent nonsense. The North Atlantic pact and the Rio De Janeiro mutual defense treaty are based on the identical principle—that an attack against one is an attack against all. Obviously, therefore, where the two committees overlap, the potential responsibilities of every American republic will be greatly augmented.

"For instance, let's assume the Russians invade Luxembourg. If the U. S. congress honors the North Atlantic pact, it must declare that the invasion of Luxembourg is aggression against the United States. That, in turn, would automatically invoke the Rio treaty, lining up all 20 Latin-American nations with the North Atlantic pact signatories to take collective action against the aggressor.

"I applaud this development without reserve, as a long step forward in genuine multilateral defense of world peace. But, for heaven's sake, let's not pussyfoot about it and pretend that it really doesn't mean anything after all! If we're still not ready to accept our obligations wholeheartedly, then putting them on paper is just another hollow mockery."

Call a Spade a Spade

Another top Latin-American leader, for many years his country's chief delegate to the League of Nations and onetime president of that body's council, strongly seconded these views. He said:

"For the first time, we have a significant number of governments prepared to commit themselves firmly to the practice of collective security.

"Yet, unless it is frankly called that and the implications for everybody involved—just what it means, in terms of both protection and responsibility, to the man in the street—are made perfectly clear, then we haven't actually advanced one step from the stage of endless meaningless talk about collective security that was being carried on twelve or fifteen years ago."

Some prominent Latins take a more pessimistic outlook on what they term the North Atlantic pact's emphasizing of "the predominantly military aspects of collaboration."

"Military alliances, defensive or not, have never proved themselves a deterrent to war," said a leading south American socialist. "Rather, they always trend to stimulate armament competition, the formation of rival alliances, and eventual conflict.

"Unless prompt and progressive measures are taken to implement the high-sounding generalities about economic cooperation, contained in the North Atlantic pact, and to improve social conditions throughout the western world, then I believe this document will prove to be merely the textual prologue to the next great war."

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England's Class Barriers Are Breaking Down

EDITOR'S NOTE: Twenty-one years ago today DeWitt MacKenzie wrote his first column for the Associated Press. It, or at least one of his very earliest articles (his carbons lack dates,) follows. It is historically interesting today because of its theme of the leveling processes then going on in England and the part taken in them by a young man destined to be the king.

The AP

LONDON —(1928)— England's class barriers are undergoing a pretty vigorous and successful assault. Not only are they being hammered from without, but there is mutiny in the ranks of the defenders.

Class bulwarks, which were considered impregnable not so long ago, are displaying breaches which never can be repaired. The mutineers from within and the attackers from without are fraternizing through the gaps.

The real, though unavowed leaders of the reform crusade, whose slogan is that all men are created equal, are the members of the British royal family. Quietly but persistently they have been setting a striking example of Democracy.

King George has made it amply clear that he considers it is the "man" and not the "blood" which counts. This is a terrible shock to some people. They don't quite know what to think about the king-emperor making real friends of laborites.

Queen Agrees With King

Queen Mary agrees with the king. The royal children are chips off the old block. Because all the members of this family are working for Democracy it seems almost unfair to speak of the exploits of the individual. Still, perhaps you will be interested in a historic campaign which is being waged by the Duke of York, the king's second son, to break down class barriers. The duke is working so quietly that few people even in England realize what he is trying to achieve. But just a word before I tell you of his scheme.

The real problem facing the workers for Democracy is snobocracy. Snobocracy is fairly strong in England; it is fairly strong in most countries, for that matter. America isn't like Caesar's wife in this respect.

Snobocracy

The snobocracy mainly comprises those people who, because of birth or riches, feel that they cannot accord equality to the people who are less fortunately placed. It also includes social climbers, who lack birth but who have the superiority complex.

This peculiar class of society is an outgrowth of class distinction. But snobocracy should not be confused with aristocracy. An aristocrat may be a snob, just as may a member of any other class of society, but he may be quite the reverse. England's aristocracy includes some of the finest Democrats in the world.

Boors and Bores

All members of the snobocracy are boors. Generally speaking they also are bores, because snobbery and low mentality are fairly well synonomous. There are exceptions to the rule.

Snobocracy permits of a half-witted blue-blood viewing and treating a workman genius with contempt, on the basis that blood alone counts.

So it is snobocracy at which the workers for Democracy really are aiming. Few would claim that classes must disappear, but the crusaders are trying to eliminate the barriers of intolerance which are based on absurd notions.

Heads Group From Both Classes

However, to get back to the Duke of Kork. This is the way his royal highness has gone about his campaign:

He is head of a summer camp for boys at New Romney. His organization has several hundreds of them there at one time. And this is the point: They are drawn equally from the working classes and the aristocracy.

The duke, sly young man, pours his little workmen and little blue-bloods all into his melting pot and stirs them up until you can't tell one from another. What is more important, the lads can't see any difference themselves.

The duke sees to it that no games are played in which the "public school" (what America calls "private") boys, that is, the aristocrats, can show any superiority because of their school training.

Everything is team work, and the sides are made up equally of the two classes. Small lords and tiny mine workers labor for mutual advantage in tugs of war.

A Human Being

One of the moving spirits in the camp is an instructor named Boissier, from the famous public school of Harrow. He is a "regular fellow," and the boys affectionately call him "Old Boss Eye." The duke himself spends considerable time at the camp in non-descript clothes, and he is treated as one of the gang. For a lark, the boys even have chucked him —second son of their king—into a pond with his apparel on. And he liked it.

The duke has publicly admitted that the greatest compliment ever paid him was when one of his camp hands referred to him as a "human being."

The duke's camp is a great leveler, and it is a shrewd move. His royal highness catches 'em young, being mindful of the fact that in a few short years these lads will be the backbone of England. Their Democratic influence will spread.

The peculiar thing about the duke's conspiracy is that few people realize what he is up to. A lot of folk think he is merely staging a summer's frolic—very pleasant but of no particular consequence.

New Cloths Pep Up Classics

Nylon and Linen Put Familiar Fashions in News



NEW YORK—(NEA)—The way a classic fashion makes news is by appearing in a new and sometimes revolutionary type of fabric.

By this token, the familiar-looking peddle pusher outfit and sweaters shown make news this spring.

Nylon in candy bright colors makes the pullover and cardigan team of sweaters **(above)**. Because nylon yarn's invincible strength hides behind a softness as strokable as a kitten's ear, these sweaters are alluring to look at and durable. They dry quickly after washing and need no blocking.

What puts the peddle pushers and blouse **(right)** smack up front in fashion's spotlight is the non-crushable Irish linen used to keep these active sportswear garments wrinkle-free. The color for the familiar peddle pushers in their new fabric guise is clear blue. The companion blouse is made of the pure white linen that never yellows no matter how long it lasts.

—EPSIE KINARD, NEA Fashion Editor

Study Sound Waves To Kill Bacteria

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—(AP) — Sound waves are being studied here as a way of killing bacteria in milk or water without using heat or chemicals. The sounds are of extremely high frequencies, far beyond the range of human hearing. If the method works, it might eliminate use of chlorine or other chemicals that kill bacteria in water but leave a taste in it. Or milk might be sterilized without changing its flavor by heating. Such milk might be stored without need for keeping it cool. The research is being done by the University of Illinois' College of Agriculture and the Illinois state water survey. No reportable results are expected for at least another year.

Garter, water and "keel-scaled" snakes do not lay eggs.

The peacock is held in great reverence by the Hindus in India.

49 Steps End Political Career

BIRKENHEAD England—(AP)—Mrs. Constant Greggains has resigned from the town council because of the 49 steps. The steps lead to the council chamber, where she had to go for 12 council or committee meetings a month.

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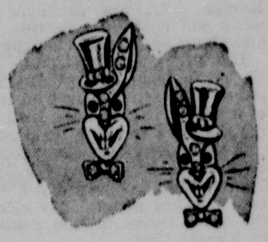




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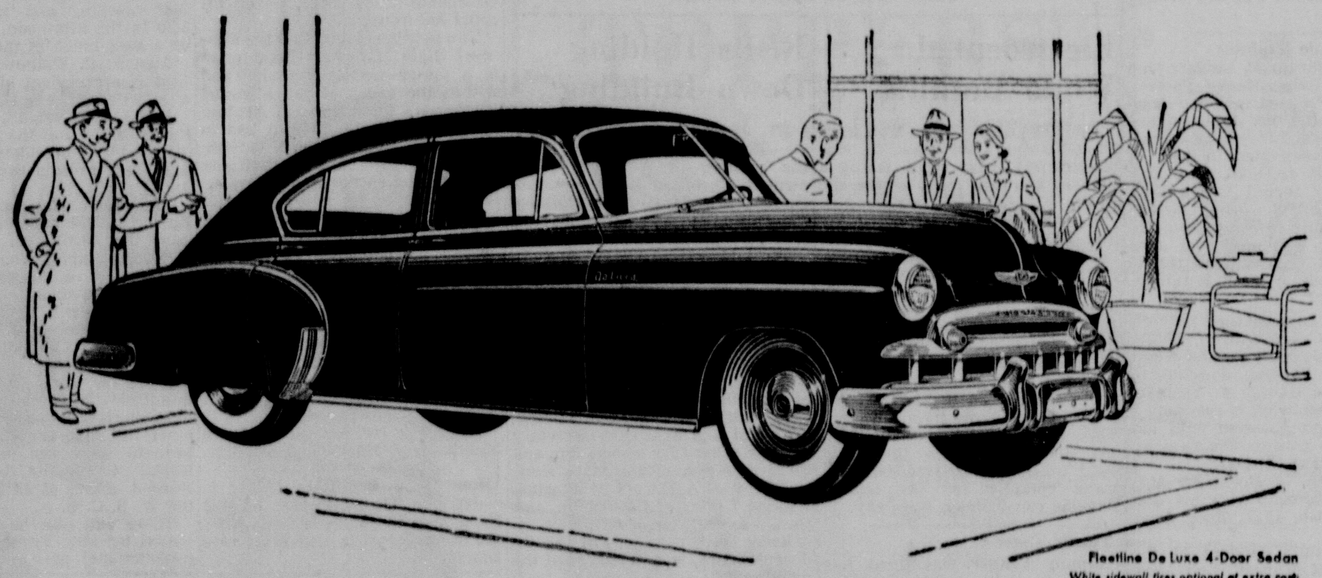
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OBITUARIES

Miss Flora May Hoehn

Miss Flora May Hoehn, of 1701 South Park avenue, died at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night at the Bothwell hospital, after a lingering illness.

Miss Hoehn was born at Camp Branch, the daughter of the late Ernest and Ida Hoehn, of that place. She was reared in that neighborhood.

She leaves two aunts, Mrs. Anna Dew, of Sedalia and Mrs. J. V. Tapp, Herington, Kas.

The body is at the McLaughlin Chapel.

John A. Johnson Service

John A. Johnson, age 74 years, of Orange, Calif., formerly of Missouri, died March 20.

Mr. Johnson was born January 13, 1875 in Ronnie, Sweden the son of the late Ole and Emma Johnson. At the age of seven years, he came with his parents and one sister to this country, settling on a farm east of Preston, Mo. where he grew to manhood as a farmer and stockman. He had spent the past fifteen years of his life in California where he was active in the insurance business.

On December 21, 1898 he was married to Miss Rosa Creach. He joined the Baptist church at Almon, Mo. in 1911, later changing his membership to the Fairview Baptist church east of Cross Timbers, Mo., where he was a member at the time of his death. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Hermitage, Mo. No. 288.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson observed their golden wedding anniversary on December 21, 1948 at their home in California.

He is survived by his wife, Rosa Johnson, two daughters, Mrs. Eula E. Sundwall, wife of R. H. Sundwall of 1416 South Osage avenue, Sedalia, Mo.; Mrs. Waunita Hollingsworth, wife of B. D. Hollingsworth, 218 North Cleveland, Sand Springs, Okla. One son, J. Eual Johnson of Thirty-six North University, Redlands, Calif; two granddaughters, Mrs. Margaret (Johnson) Findlay, San Bernardino, Calif; Mrs. Virginia (Johnson) Eichenberg, Redlands, Calif.; one great granddaughter, Vicki Lynn Eichenberg, Redlands, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Oscar Lindstrom, Preston, Mo. and two nieces and three nephews.

Two children preceded him in death, Fava L. and Warren Clayton who died in infancy and his only grandson, Johnny Sundwall, who preceded him in death nine years ago at the age of thirteen years, for whom he grieved greatly.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home at 1:00 o'clock Monday afternoon with the Rev. Sherman Bybee, Baptist minister, of Polk, Mo. officiating.

Pallbearers will be Das McClure, Everett Burton, Don Clifford, Henry Holtzclaw, Amos Schroeder and John Ryan.

Interment will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Mrs. Carrie T. Armstrong

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie Tempelmeyer Armstrong, who died at her home, Thursday, were held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the New Lebanon church, conducted by the Rev. W. S. Wood.

Pallbearers were: Ed Tempelmeyer, Philip Tempelmeyer, Louis Tempelmeyer, Ernest Tempelmeyer, Clarence Tempelmeyer and Frank Fiefendorf.

Burial was in the New Lebanon cemetery by the side of her husband.

The body was taken to the Hayes-Painter funeral home in Pilot Grove.

Mrs. Armstrong was born November 10, 1871, the daughter of the late Catherine and Fred Tempelmeyer. She was married to John Armstrong at the home of her parents, July 9, 1922. She had been a member of the Presbyterian church near Otterville for a number of years.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Raymond R. Heim with whom she had made her home the past two years; Mrs. Henry Quint and Mrs. Walter Cooper; two sons, John and Fred Armstrong. One son, Quinton Armstrong, died in 1931. Mrs. Armstrong also leaves 18 grandchildren and two great grandchildren; three brothers, John Tempelmeyer of Rombauer, Mo.; Fred Tempelmeyer of Hod River, Oregon, and Charles Tempelmeyer of near Otterville.

Henry Gehlken

Henry Gehlken, of Tracy, Calif., formerly of Florence, died at his home there Friday, according to a message received by his niece, Mrs. Leland Coontz, Route 1, Sedalia.

Funeral services will be held Monday in Tracy.

Mr. Gehlken was the eldest son of J. H. and Louisa Gehlken and engaged in farming in the Florence neighborhood until about twelve years ago when he went to California where he still farmed.

Surviving are his wife, of the home, one son, Golden, a former Sedalian, now of Tracy, two daughters, Edna, of the home, and Kathryn of San Francisco and two brothers, Art and Ben Gehlken, both of Florence. A brother-in-law, Eddie Fowler, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Gehlken, reside in Sedalia.

Two brothers preceded him in death, Fred Gehlken and Gus Gehlken.

C. C. Miller

Mrs. Mollie Collins and Miss Helen Sitton went to Kansas City Wednesday, called by the death of Mrs. Collin's son-in-law, C. C. Miller.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife, Mrs. Deloris Collins Miller, former Sedalian, his mother and one brother.

The body was taken to Princeton, Ill., for funeral services and burial was in the Miller lot in the Princeton cemetery.

Mrs. Jane Buford Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Jane Buford, 68, who died at her home, 211 West Tenth street, Thursday afternoon, were held at the Gillespie funeral home at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning with the Rev. T. W. Croxton officiating.

Mrs. Miles Rhodes and Mrs. Lloyd Kirkpatrick, accompanied by Mrs. B. B. Bess, sang, "City Four Square," and "Jesus Savior Pilot Me."

Burial was made in the Nelson, Missouri cemetery.

Mrs. G. G. Thedick

Graveside services for Mrs. G. G. Thedick, who died at her home in Yermo, Calif., after several months illness, were held at 11:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the Calvary cemetery, conducted by Father A. J. Brunswick.

The rosary was recited at 10:30 o'clock at the McLaughlin chapel.

Pallbearers were Fred Brink, Frank Mehl, Nelson Hanpeter, C. E. Carroll, J. E. Coates, John Carroll.

Mrs. Albert Reed

Mrs. Albert Reed of Los Angeles, Calif., formerly Miss Lula Evans of Sedalia, died at her home on Friday, March 18, according to word received in Sedalia by Mrs. I. D. Turner, of 212 East Fifth street.

Funeral services and burial were held in Los Angeles on Monday, March 21.

Mrs. Reed was the daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Henry Evans of Sedalia, and was a cousin of Ed. J. Evans, Sedalia insurance man.

H. L. Brubaker

Mrs. Nettie Coe, 504 East Eleventh street, received word Saturday afternoon of the death of her brother, H. L. Brubaker, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Brown, in Jacksonville, Ill., following a lingering illness.

Surviving besides the daughter are two grandchildren and the following brothers and sisters: E. W. Brubaker, 1704 East Sixteenth street; Mrs. Nettie Coe, 504 East Eleventh street, Homer Brubaker, Route 4, Sedalia; Mrs. Ella Mae Cordry, Bunceton, Mrs. V. L. Biedler, in the State of Virginia, A. W. Brubaker, of Kansas City and Mrs. Bessie Coe, of Marshall.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning in Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. Clara Raeber

Mrs. Clara Raeber, 62 years old, died at her home, 2514 East Broadway, at 5:45 o'clock Saturday evening, a few minutes after she suffered a heart attack.

She is survived by her husband, John W. Raeber; two sons, Lloyd Raeber, Sedalia, Arnold Raeber, Osawatomie, Kansas; one daughter, Mrs. Champ Shepherd, Beaman.

Six grandchildren also survive.

The body was taken to the Ewing funeral home. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

T/4 George M. Young

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. George S. Young, Route 2, Sedalia, that the body of their son, T/4 George M. Young, who was killed in action in France on September 5, 1944, will arrive in Sedalia at noon Wednesday.

T/4 Young was born in Sedalia on September 7, 1907, the son of George S. and Lily Schoell Young. He attended the public schools in Sedalia and the Smith-Cotton high school. On November 1, 1942 he was married to Miss Julia Ann Miller, of Sedalia. He was employed on the Missouri Pacific railroad as a fireman and entered military service July 7, 1943 as an engineer with the 724th Railroad Battalion.

T/4 Young was a member of the Epworth Methodist church, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers No. 178 Sedalia; Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, No. 622 of Jefferson City.

Surviving besides his parents are four aunts, Mrs. Edith Dickson, 212 South Moniteau avenue, Miss Opal Schoell of Los Angeles, Calif., Miss Blanch Young and Mrs. Daisy Boggs, of Holden and one uncle, John H. Young, of St. Louis.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon with the Rev. R. E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth M. E. church, to officiate assisted by the Rev. W. C. Bessmer, pastor of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church.

Pallbearers will be John Rose, Glenn Baker, Warren Hamm, Lex Corley, Maurice Griffin and W. J. Griessen.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery with Post 2508, Veterans of Foreign Wars in charge of the military service.

Divorces Granted

Two divorces were granted in Circuit court Saturday. Stanley E. Woodward, Jr., was granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Frances L. Woodward. She was awarded the care and custody of a minor child and $25 a month for the child's support.

Mrs. Marie Keele Simmons was granted a divorce from her husband, Garfield Simmons, and was also awarded the care and custody of minor children.

BIRTHS

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Irby Bunding, of Chicago, Saturday noon. Mrs. Bunding is the former Ruth Eisenstein, of this city, daughter of Victor Eisenstein, 909 West Fifth street.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Byron McFarland, 1109 South Kentucky avenue, at 10:45 o'clock Friday night at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Seven pounds, five ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Burkhalter, 419 North Prospect avenue, at 1:58 o'clock Saturday morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, 11 ounces.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. John M. McCarty, of Kansas City, Thursday night at 10:45 o'clock at St. Luke's hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds. Mrs. McCarty was formerly Miss Charlotte Smith, of this city, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, 500 Dal-Whi-Mo court. Mr. McCarty is also a former Sedalian and is a son of the late Mrs. Charlotte Tilden McCarty, of this city.

Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Osborne, 710 West Broadway, returned Friday evening, after spending a vacation in Florida.

Frank T. Armstrong, Jr., a student at Westminster college, Fulton, Mo., is spending a spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Armstrong, 725 West Seventh street.

Sgt. Gerald H. Larabee, of the Ninth Air Force, flew from Fassberg, Germany, for a visit wth his father, J. W. Larabee at 1006 East Fourth street. Sgt. Larabee is working with the air lift in Germany.

Mrs. John Woolery and son Jack, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolch of 1211 South Ohio avenue, has gone to Norfolk, Va., and from there will go to Porto Rico where the husband and father are stationed in the navy.

William F. Rudd, Seaman 3-c of the United States Navy, Brooklyn, N. Y., is at home on a fifteen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Rudd, of 1210 South Ohio avenue. For the past five months he has served on the Air Craft Carrier U.S.S. Tarawa with eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean forces. On his return to Brooklyn he will be assigned to another ship.

Mrs. W. H. Burfeind, 123 East Saline street, has returned home after visiting relatives in Pomona, Calif. She visited her uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Anthony and the following cousins, Rose Wilborn, Mrs. Cora Depry, Johnnie Depry, Bert Anthony and Mrs. Claude O'Connor, all of Pomona. In Southgate, Calif., she visited another cousin, Mrs. Richard Reed and in Fullerton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. James Sanders. Mrs. Burfeind also visited a number of friends while in California.

Lt. and Mrs. M. L. McClain and sons, Stephen and Dennis, of Portsmouth, Va., are expected to arrive today for a visit with Mrs. McClain's mother, Mrs. T. O. Herrick, 1505 South Kentucky avenue, and other relatives.

Mrs. Grace Pannell and Mrs. Clay Goodloe, of St. Louis, former Sedalians, are visiting friends in Sedalia.

The following C.M.S.C. students are spending the week-end with their parents; Phil Burford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Burford, 1106 South Grand avenue, Rick Fullerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Fullerton, 813 East 13th. street, Joe Newland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newland, 419 North Grand avenue.

Mrs. George Snyder, of Junction City, Kansas, is a guest this week of Mrs. R. L. Ream, 110½ West Second street.

Miss Jean Hulse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hulse, 720 West Broadway, who attends the University of Missouri in Columbia, is spending the week end with her parents.

Miss Allene Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hall, 911 Crescent boulevard, who attends William Woods college, in Fulton, is spending the week end with her parents.

Miss Gayle Scruton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Scruton, Jr., 712 West Third street; Miss Beryl Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans, of Route Five, Sedalia; Miss Mary Jane Anderson, daughter of Mrs. George Anderson, 1200 South Massachusetts avenue and Miss Ruth Ann Keuper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman C. Keuper, 1806 West Broadway, are spending the week end with their parents in Sedalia. They are all students at the Central Missouri State College, in Warrensburg.

Estel Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenkins, 906 South Missouri avenue, is spending the week end in Sedalia. He attends the Central Missouri State college, in Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, of Kansas City, are spending the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee May, in Hughesville.

Bill Labus, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Labus, 1106 West Third street, a student at the University of Missouri, in Columbia, is spending the week end with his parents.

Miss Beverly Warren, daughter of Mrs. Flossie Warren, 425 South Park avenue, is spending the week end with her mother. She attends the Notre Dame de Sion academy in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Snavely, of Columbia, where Mr. Snavely attends the University of Missouri, arrived in Sedalia Friday. Mr. Snavely returned to Columbia Saturday evening and Mrs. Snavely will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Warren, 1002½ South Ohio avenue, for the week.

Miss Judy Yeaman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Yeaman, 501 West Broadway, is spending a ten-day spring vacation with her parents. She goes to school at St. Agnes, in Alexander, Va.

Glenn Rash, of Rockport, Mo., is here for a visit with his son, Raymond Rash, 1517 East Seventh street.

Elmer Schultz, student at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kas., is spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schultz, 1218 South Osage avenue.

Taking Basic Training

Recruit Marvin E. Powers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Powers, 1706 East Fifth street, has been assigned to the 5th Armored Division for eight weeks' basic training. Reactivated in July of last year this division hung up a brilliant war record in six European campaigns during World War II. Before entering the army Rec. Powers was employed as a farmer. He is now assigned to the 10th Medium Tank Battalion.

Bridegroom Admits Killing Teen-Age Girl

While Planning to Elope With Her Older Sister, 17

MILWAUKEE, March 26—(AP)—District Attorney William McCauley said today a 19-year old bridegroom had admitted slaying 16-year old Patricia Birmingham while planning to elope with her older sister.

The district attorney said Milton Babich dictated his statement a short time after his habeas corpus hearing on another charge was recessed for issuance of a first degree murder warrant.

McCauley's announcement came as a climax to a chain of events started by a fantastic coincidence. Pretty Pat's trussed and weighted body was dragged from the Milwaukee river last Sunday by firemen hunting for a suicide. The girl, who disappeared Feb. 10, had been shot twice through the head.

The district attorney said Babich told him he killed Pat because the younger girl knew that Kathleen, her 17 year old sister and Babich's fiancee, was pregnant and threatened to tell her parents.

Many Hours Of Questioning

The break came after Babich faced 45 hours of frequent quizzing by police. He had been held in custody on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Kathleen, in urging her to elope with him two days before Pat's body was found.

Babich and Kathleen, who had left a note saying she was eloping with Milton, were traced to Kalamazoo, Mich., and finally located at Minneapolis. They returned to Milwaukee voluntarily accompanied by detectives. They were married at Kalamazoo.

The prosecutor quoted Babich as saying Kathleen did not know that he had killed Patricia. The youth added he didn't want Kathleen's reputation smeared because she was pregnant.

"I think that's why Patricia was shot," McCauley said he told Babich.

Babich answered "that's right, I was afraid she'd tell the family," the district attorney added.

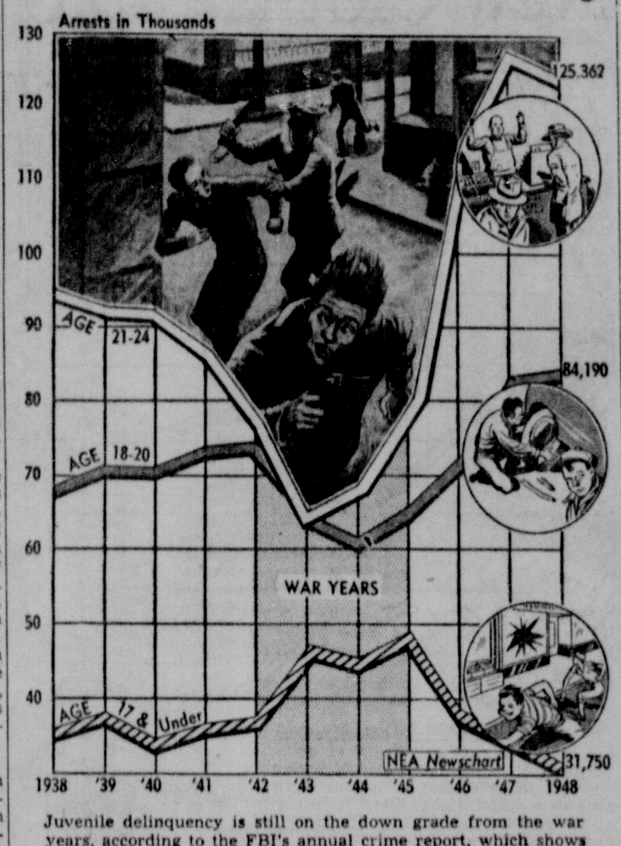
Juniors Win On Intra-Mural Plays

The best group acting, best play, went to the Junior class for their, "Fixers, Incorporated," in last night's presentation of awards in the Intra-Mural plays. Honorable mention went to the Freshmen their play being "Not Tonight."

The best actor or actress was Miss Marjorie Liebel for her work as "Magnolia" in the senior play "Magnolia Blooms." Honorable mentions went the following for their work in the plays: Jimmy Watts as Danny, "Bill" Mathews as Ogleire Thorpe, Wilma Schilb as Mrs. Thorpe, Betty Lou Newland as Bobby Sox, Delores Gorsett as Nancy, and Nancy Cook as Sandra.

The person selling the most tickets was Gennie Williams who sold (81). Second was Bill Franklin.

Juvenile Delinquency Still Declining



Juvenile delinquency is still on the down grade from the war years, according to the FBI's annual crime report, which shows that the number of persons under 25 years of age arrested in 1948 is lower than in 1947. Chart above, prepared from FBI data, plots the number of arrests of all persons under 25 over a ten-year period. Approximately one-half of all crimes against property last year were committed by persons in this group, with burglary and theft the leading crimes.

In the Chips



For the benefit of anybody who's been sitting on the edge of his chair waiting for the flash, here it is—Pat Hunter has been named Potato Chip Queen. Pat, a 22-year-old Chicago model, gets a potato chip shower at the 12th annual convention of the National Potato Chip Institute in Chicago.

Electrocuted While Bathing

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., Mar. 26—(AP)—Mrs. Fred Jones, 28, was electrocuted today while taking a bath in a trailer camp where she lived.

Her body was discovered by Mrs. R. J. Hamby, who was waiting her turn for the bath facilities.

Members of the Caruthersville fire department worked for an hour in an attempt to revive Mrs. Jones but were unsuccessful. A small electric heater, still connected, was in the tub. Authorities believe she tried to move the heater while she was in the tub.

Mrs. Jones came here with her husband from Springfield, Mo., last January. Before that they lived in Kansas City. Jones is a crane operator for the Smith-Douglas construction company.

Traffic Cases

Jimmy Fender was fined five dollars in police court Saturday morning for running a red light. Six overtime parking bonds of one dollar each were forfeited when overtime parkers failed to appear.

Rents Holding Down Building

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 26—(AP)—Rent control is holding down the number of American home owners, Theodore H. Maenner of Omaha, president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, said here today.

He told a meeting of the St. Joseph Real Estate Board that rents under the present law are such a bargain people are reluctant to build or buy homes.

Among those at the meeting were W. Ed Jameson of Fulton, Mo., member of the advisory board of the state association; Leon D. Comstock and Frank J. Loren, president and executive secretary of the Kansas City association, and three directors of the state association, Harl A. Garner of Winston, William L. Cox of Chillicothe, and Harold L. Poynter of Cameron.

Early Bird, president of the St. Joseph board, was in charge of the meeting.

Honor Students Sedalia Guests

Nine members, seven girls and two boys of the Phi Theta Kappa fraternity of La Junta Junior college, of La Junta, Colo., and the college registrar stopped in Sedalia, Saturday night, on their way to the national convention of that fraternity to be held in Bluefield, Va., beginning March 31.

The group, under the leadership of the registrar, Miss Norma Powell, a former resident of Boonville, arrived in Sedalia late Saturday afternoon and had supper at Dan's restaurant. They said that they had left their college on Friday, and were sight-seeing on the way. Their trip includes Kansas City, St. Louis, and Washington, D. C.

The Phi Theta Kappa fraternity is a national honorary fraternity for junior colleges which corresponds to the Phi Beta Kappa of senior colleges.

Large Crowd at 'Teen Town Club

A large crowd of 'teen-agers welcomed the re-opening of 'Teen Town Saturday night, after being closed for nearly two months. The feature diversion of the evening was square dancing which was called by Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Haggard, who supervised.

A special jitterbug dance was presented by Don Broaddus and Peggy Shull. They recently won first place in the Talent Quest and second in the finals.

Colorful streamers decorated the large play room where plenty of recreational facilities are provided.

Besides the youngsters, Harry Walch, president of 'Teen Town, Miss Rosalie Mountjoy, and members of the board were in attendance.

Mr. Walch said 'Teen Town would be opened every Friday and Saturday night at 7:00 o'clock. Two members of the board and parents who want to serve will supervise.

Santa Fe Buys 500 Acres Land

KANSAS CITY, Kas., March 26—(AP)—The Santa Fe railroad has acquired 500 acres of Kaw Valley land west of here for the largest industrial district development undertaken by the railroad in recent years.

Fred G. Gurley, Santa Fe President, announced the project tonight in Chicago.

Most of the acreage parallels the Santa Fe's $10,000,000 hump yard project which has been under construction two years. The hump yard will enable swifter handling of freight cars in making up trains.

Cost of the land was not disclosed.

"Water, gas and telephone lines already have been laid to the site," Gurley said. "A sewer system is to be built soon and electric facilities will be installed as they are needed."

$20,000 Damage Suit is Filed

A $20,000 damage suit was filed by the State of Missouri ex rel Missouri State Highway Commission against Carl Edwin Frasier, Oklahoma City, Okla., in circuit court Saturday.

The petition claims that the Missouri State Highway Commission is a major employer under and within the terms of the Missouri Workmen's Compensation Act and that on March 17, 1949, it had in its employ Jack Howard, Odessa, Mo., who was injured that day on highway 65 north of Warsaw, Mo., following an automobile accident.

The petition asserts action is brought by plaintiff to enforce and protect its subrogation rights in the premises and for benefit of Jack Howard.

Howard was driving an automobile belonging to plaintiff when an accident occurred, and in collision with the defendant. It is alleged in the petition that Howard received serious injuries.

Attorneys for the plaintiff are Montgomery, Martin and Salveter.

Home From Hospital

Jeanette B. Dinsmore, of 403 North Osage avenue, is home from the hospital and is recovering satisfactorily.

Group Wants Truman and Stalin Parley

Two Attendants From Canada Were Sent Back Home

NEW YORK, March 26—(AP)—Demands for a Truman-Stalin talk to end the cold war arose tonight at the Cultural and Scientific Conference for World Peace.

T. O. Thackrey, editor and publisher of the New York Post Home News, first voiced a demand for a conference "at the highest level, with both President Truman and Premier Stalin in attendance."

At about the same time, O. John Rogge urged the American people to "tell President Truman it is time he is ready to talk peace."

Rogge is a former U. S. assistant attorney general and an official of Henry Wallace's Progressive party.

Two Sent Back To Canada

The conference opened yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel. Keynote sessions were held today at Carnegie Hall. Then the conference moved back to the Waldorf tonight, but with two Canadian visitors absent.

They were seized at a banquet last night and sent back to Canada. A third was allowed to remain.

The immigration service said little about the seizure. It announced only that the trio was questioned about Communist activities.

The two who left agreed to return to Canada voluntarily.

One of the two, John Goss, a Canadian actor and theater director, arrived by plane in Chicago a few hours later and termed his treatment "unjust."

No Position To Complain

He did not elaborate beyond saying that "I'm in no position to complain."

The conference was invaded late today by a rival intellectual, Prof. George S. Counts.

He was not listed on the program.

Counts stood up unexpectedly at a panel session. There were shouts of "shut up" from nearly 700 persons in attendance. But he was allowed to speak.

Counts is co-chairman of Americans for Intellectual Freedom, which sponsored a counter-rally here today.

The A. I. F. called itself "independent" and claimed the Waldorf conference was dominated by pro-Communists. Sponsors of the conference denied the charge.

Counts is a professor at Teachers College at Columbia University.

Church Events

The Willing Toilers Sunday School Class of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at the church Monday night. Hostesses will be Mrs. Frank Henderson, Mrs. John Perrot and Mrs. L. E. Graham.

The first caravan meeting to be held in the Sedalia District will be held by the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the three Methodist churches in Sedalia and the Longwood Methodist church Thursday March 31, at the First Methodist church. The meeting will start at 11:00 o'clock that morning and will close at 2:30 in the afternoon. There will be a sack lunch at the noon hour.

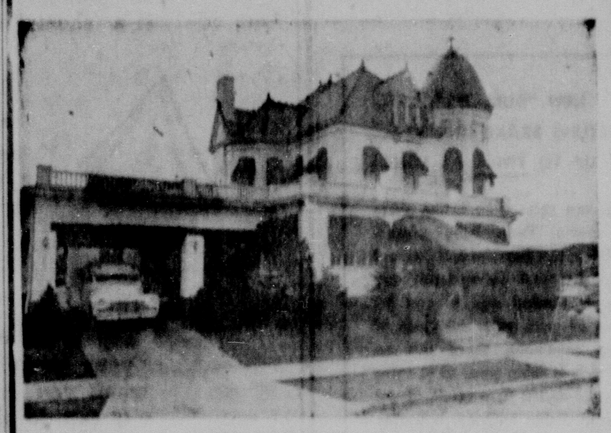
Mrs. E. C. Wadlow, of Bolivar, first vice president of the conference will be the speaker.

Mrs. C. D. Demand, president of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist and vice president of the district, will preside over the meeting.

Mrs. John Overmier, of the Epworth Methodist church, will have the devotional.

Several Sedalia women will present posters on "Caravan on Program of Advance." The posters are as follows: 1, Every Methodist woman a member of the W. S. C. S. 2, Every Methodist woman studying, giving, building and praying for world Christian communities. 3, One thousand new missionaries, deaconesses and other full time Christian workers, to help meet the needs of the world. 4, For the first year increased giving of 33⅓ percent to the W. S. C. S.

There will also be presented a record by Mrs. Frank G. Brooks, jurisdictional president.



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Beatrice Foods Elects New V-P

CHICAGO, Ill.—Charles H. McConnell, district manager of the Iowa-Missouri district of Beatrice Foods Co., with headquarters at Des Moines, Iowa, has been elected a vice president of the company, it was announced today by C. H. Haskell, president.

Mr. McConnell has been with Beatrice Foods Co. for over twenty years, starting as an ice cream route salesman in Des Moines, Iowa, and later working at the company's branch in Perry, Iowa. From there Mr. McConnell went to the Council Bluffs, Iowa, plant of the company as manager, where he remained until he was made district manager in 1948.

Mr. McConnell will spend several days in Sedalia this week visiting the Sedalia Beatrice Foods plant, of which Julian H. Bagby is manager.

Report On Calves

The Lone Elm 4-H club met at the home of John Ballah, March 11. The meeting was called to order by Daniel Ballah, the vice-president. The Ballah boys gave a report on the beef and dairy calves.

Crackers and chili were served after the meeting. The next meeting will be held at the Lone Elm school.





'Hobo' Pack Swings in High Style





NEW YORK, March 25—(NEA)—Borrowed from the hobo but glamorized to the last stitch are new stick-slung handbags which swing jauntily from a woman's shoulder.

One of two such styles, Paris designed by Dofan and soon to be seen in American made versions, is the frameless pouch bag (right) Ornamnted with a giant-sized gold safety pin, this snap-fastened pouch of cocoa-colored suede swings from a gold tipped stick sheathed with matching suede.

The other bag style which owes its origin to the hobo's shoulder-slung pack is the oblong pouch of leather (left). This one has an outside compartment for carrying a book and even provides a slit for a lady's pipe. Swung from a leather-covered shoulder stick, this bag, however, is detachable if its owner wishes to carry it in a more convenient way.—Epsie Kinard, NEA Fashion Editor.

Closely Check Theories On Communist Activities

By J. M. Roberts, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The American people, through testimony at the New York conspiracy trial and the spy activity report of the House un-American activities committee, have been getting a good look this week at the theories and methods of Communist infiltration.

Neither source provides anything particularly new to students of Communist activity, but they do serve to boil it down for better public consumption.

The report on spy activity follows closely the pattern revealed in Canada in 1946—foreign spies, Russian officials, using native Communists or fellow travelers in a story-book fashion which was, nonetheless, highly practical.

Early evidence at the trial refers to both the theory and practice of revolution in the United States; to the necessity for climaxing infiltration by use of force. The goal, as quoted from written records, is a Soviet Socialist republic, to be attained through such weapons as poison gas and "only by the use of the Red army."

Desirous Of Reports

The House committee in its report says one thing that should be done about espionage is for all patriotic Americans to report any suspicious activities to the FBI, Army or Navy intelligence, local police or the committee itself.

This is a frightening thing, when one considers all the false accusations which could come about if there were to be a wave of seeing things under the bed. Without a clear definition of acts which are subject to legitimate suspicion, the wave of hysteria might put flying saucers and men from Mars in the shade.

This same consideration will have a bearing on the effectiveness of the National Education Association's newly announced plan to guide teachers and implement U. S. foreign policy through shifts in the nation's educational program.

The ability to recognize danger when it really exists is a critical requirement in an ideological conflict.

Beaneath all their lurid activities the first objective of the fifth columnists is to obtain a hold on community leaders or people with qualities of leadership.

Very frequently, in cases where they succeed, the people have no subversive intent themselves, are intent on doing good, and often they are crackpots. Skillfully guided by experts, their sincere principles begin to take precedence in their minds over rules and regulations designed to guard the community. They "know better" than the majority about war and peace, human welfare and the like. A Communist tutor easily convinces them of the "nobility" of the Russian experiment. Efforts to subvert school teachers, youth organizations and, perhaps, actual spying, are by then easy steps.

It is often difficult to separate these people from the perfectly level-headed community workers whom the Communists make such a show of helping.

Congress and the Library of Congress have published numerous factual works on Communist activity and methods here and abroad. But they are not widely enough distributed. If the people are to be set on the trail of Communism they must know not only what it is, but also what it is not. Otherwise, amateurs and grudge bearers can give us an awfully bad time.

Men Wanted in Ruhr

DUESSELDORF, Germany—(AP)—There is a shortage of labor for Ruhr heavy industries, according to a British official report. Otherwise, labor demands are in the main being satisfied. There are now 5,100,000 people employed in the Ruhr.



Baby Burns To Death In Crib

ST. LOUIS, March 26—(AP)—A month-old baby, Allen J. Meyer, was fatally burned Friday when his crib caught fire. His mother, Mrs. Ira Meyer, 24, suffered serious burns trying to beat out the flames.

Police said a pad hanging from the crib apparently became ignited when it touched an electric hot plate.



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Body Of Man Is Taken From River

NAPOLEON, Mo., March 26—(AP)—The body of a man, about 32, was found in the Missouri river near here Thursday.

Army orders found in a pocket of the man's civilian coat bore the name of Joseph Harold Robinson and instructions to report to the 55th Air Installation Squadron at Topeka. The orders were dated Sept. 27, 1948.

The address, "370 Saviota, Long Beach 7, Calif." was marked in the lining of the coat.

The body was taken to a funeral home at Wellington, Mo.

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One administrative function of the Girl Scout Council is to organize new troops and to keep all Girl Scout troops in good working order. The council provides the opportunity for Girl Scout membership to all girls age seven through 17 in Sedalia, in accordance with the council's broad plans of development. The Girl Scout theme for 1949, is COME ALONG with us. Mrs. Dimmitt Hoffman is a very able organization chairman for the Sedalia Council of Girl Scouts, assisted by a chairman in each school, who is in charge of the troops in their school. It is the work of these women to know the needs of their community and provide competent adult leadership, a meeting place for the troops, which in most cases in Sedalia, is the school to which the troop belongs. The potential Girl Scouts in every community are the girls from all racial, religious and economic groups.

The 1948 annual report for the Sedalia Council is now complete. The organization, according to schools, is listed showing the leaders, co-leaders and number of troops.

Broadway, six troops, 3 intermediate, 3 Brownie; leaders: Mmes. J. E. Merrick, Paul Houston, J. L. Rosenthal, R. R. Jiedel, T. B. Johnson, John Rush. Co-leaders: Mmes. Earl Grady, R. R. Overfelt, D. W. Heckart, Elmer Maune, W. Viertal, Elmo Harlan, L. Dailey, W. B. Loveland. Mrs. Leonard Williams, organization chairman.

Horace Mann, five troops, 3 intermediate, 2 Brownies; leaders, Mmes. A. F. Chambers, Champ Richardson, W. J. Knight, Thos. W. McNally, Kermit Maness. Co-leaders: Mmes. Virgil Ragar, Wm. Michener, Chester McCubbin, Harry Mines, Mrs. H. C. Salveter, organization chairman.

Hubbard, four troops, 1 senior, 2 intermediate, 1 Brownie. leaders: Mmes. Olander Black, Virgil Kitchen, H. Broaddus, Miss Mary Jane Cox. Co-leaders: Mmes. C. H. Gooch, Mary Alexander, Miss Ruth McKenzie, Mrs. Ralph Lee. Mrs. Olander Black, organization chairman.

Jefferson, four troops, 2 intermediate, 2 Brownie. Leaders, Mmes. R. C. Stratton, A. L. Hawkins, H. C. Sullivan, Francis Nelson. Co-leaders: Mmes. Edgar Urton, Elmer Lane, Herschell Summers. Mrs. Freta Napier, organization chairman.

Mark Twain, six troops, 3 intermediate, 3 Brownie. Leaders: Mmes. J. W. Hill, Homer Baker, O. Perkins, R. C. Wills, Byron Gates, I. H. Lehmer. Co-leaders: Mmes. C. H. Carney, C. A. Ragland, R. P. Schrader, Bob Fingland. Mrs. Philip McLaughlin, organization chairman.

St. Joseph's, 1 Brownie troop. Leaders: Mrs. Brownell Young, Miss Alma Hall. Mrs. B. Young organization chairman.

St. Patrick's, two troops, 1 intermediate, 1 Brownie. Leaders: Mmes. G. C. Moreau, J. F. Weising, M. A. Moser, J. T. White, Miss Lillian Bahner. Mrs. Al Miles, organization chairman.

Sacred Heart, nine troops, 4 senior, 3 intermediate, 2 Brownie. Leaders: Mmes. L. W. Dickman, E. F. Paxton, H. O. Evans, P. Pfeiffer, R. Fuller, F. Rouchka, Paul Burke, L. D. Sullivan, W. A. Buchholz. Co-leaders: Mrs. N. V. White, William Dick, L. Wolf, J. Stohr, R. M. Dillon, Jr., Carl Franks. Mrs. E. F. Paxton, organization chairman.

Smith-Cotton, nine troops, seven senior, 2 intermediate. Leaders: Mmes. E. T. Dillard, P. Cecil Owen, A. R. Beach, Billy Roberts, John Zulauf, M. L. Crutcher, Jr., C. A. Freeberg, F. Coffman, Jr., Miss Dorothy Sue Roe. Co-leaders: Mmes. H. N. Lambirth, J. Erickson, F. A. Kueck, E. R. Moore, Herb Studer, T. J. Bruce, Noel Tweet, Miss Jean Sullivan. Mrs. John C. Ryan, organization chairman.

Washington, 5 troops, 3 intermediate, 2 Brownie. Leaders: Miss Rosie Sieving, Mmes. Harold Norton, J. M. Crouse, F. Emory Bowman, John Flashpoler. Co-leaders, Mmes. W. Wicker, W. F. Duncan, Chas. Bennett. Mrs. L. W. Long, organization chairman.

Whittier, four troops, 2 intermediate, 2 Brownie. Leaders, Mmes. Mary Houston, Wm. Morgan, H. R. Goodpasture, John Bowman. Co-leaders: Mmes. C. R. Hall, Leon Wells.

Total registration for 1948-49, 55 troops, 12 senior, 24 intermediate and 19 Brownie. Six hundred and 10 girls with 149 women, working for better scouting in Sedalia.

Texas, Louisiana, California and Oklahoma rank in that order in the production of natural gas.

DON'T BE A PENGUIN

I recently read about the lives of penguins in the Antarctic and was impressed with their intelligence though some, like human beings, do not show good judgement and consider temporary comfort to ultimate safety. Most of them nest on flat, wind swept and exposed spaces. Some nest under the protection of bluffs out of the wind, seeming to be a wise decision but these areas are later swept by avalanches and those nested there are usually killed.



Dr. Keller

Likewise many people seek temporary comfort for their ailments by various means, little realizing that later the problem will have to be met or disaster will result. Palliative measures, while temporarily comforting, do not remove the fundamental cause which is within the body due to mental or mechanical interference with normal nerve action. Chiropractic methods consider only the correction of fundamental causes, vertebral subluxations being one of the most common.

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Approve 'Home Rule' Decontrol

No Agreement By Conferees On Few Of Other Rent Regulations

WASHINGTON, Mar. 26 —(AP)—Senate-House conferees on rent legislation Friday night agreed to let cities, towns and villages junk rent controls when the governor approved.

The conference committee, however reached no agreement on whether to extend federal rent controls at flat 15 months as provided in the House bill, or continue them 12 to 15 months as provided in the Senate bill.

They came to no agreement, either, on whether to adopt the Senate's provision for rent increases up to 10 per cent, or the section of the House measure requiring that rents be fixed at a level to assure landlords a "reasonable return on the reasonable value" of their property.

Earlier Senator Maybank (D-SC), head of the Senate conferees, had announced that an agreement had been reached to give the federal housing expediter a free hand in restoring rent controls in any area he decontrols after March 31. But, except on recommendation of the local rent advisory board, he could not do so in any area where controls had been dropped before that date.

The present rent control law expires next Thursday, March 31. The House and Senate have passed separate extension bills varying in many particulars. Now representatives from both chambers are trying to thresh out the differences.

Another Session Today

Maybank said the conferees will meet again tomorrow morning in an effort to complete the compromise job.

In agreeing on a "home rule" decontrol provision, the House accepted the Senate version with some modifications.

The provision agreed upon says the housing expediter shall terminate controls in any incorporated city, town or village upon receipt of a resolution of the community's governing body.

The resolution calling for decontrol would have to be based upon a finding by the governing body after a public hearing. Notice of the hearings would have to be given 10 days in advance.

Any such local decontrol resolution would have to certify that, on the basis of the hearings, there no longer was any need for controls in the community.

Approval Necessary

Before being sent to the housing expediter, the decontrol resolution would have to be approved by the governor. If he did not approve, the community could not be freed of controls.

In cases where the decontrol action removed controls in the major portion of a rental area, the housing expediter would be required to decontrol also any "unincorporated locality in the remainder of such area."

Among the principal remaining questions are how much longer federal controls are to be kept in effect, and what yardstick is to be used in authorizing increases, if any.

The House bill calls for an extension until March 31, 1950. The Senate bill would extend the curbs until that date, but in addition would give tenants who pay their rent three months additional protection against eviction, if they desire.

In place of the "reasonable return on reasonable value" measurement for setting ceilings in the House bill, the Senate voted for a plan which would allow increases of up to 10 per cent in some but not all cases.

One 5 per cent increase could be put into effect next Oct. 1, a second 5 percent on April 1, 1950. But in no case could rents be boosted more than 15 per cent above the level of June 30, 1947. This would eliminate the possibility of increases for tenants who accepted the 15 per cent "voluntary" increases last year.

French Careerist Unravels Perfume Mystery

By Kay Sherwood
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK, March 27— How much do you know about the perfume that you dab behind your ear?

Do you know, for example, that your newest bottle of come-hither may be more than two years old? Or that an ounce of the divine stuff which weaves a heavenly aura may be a blend of 100 different ingredients, some of which are shudderingly repelling to smell?

Continuing our quiz, do you know that the most expensive perfumes are not necessarily the best? Or that your favorite floral odor may not contain an atom's worth of oil from natural blossoms?

For unravling these sweet mysteries and others shrouding the art of making perfume, a charming and outspoken French woman from Grasse can take bows.

Madame Jeanne Noel of Laboratory Noel, Grasse, one of the few women to crash the highly specialized basic perfume industry of France, combines business acumen with warm maternal expansiveness. She will need no introduction to thousands of officers and ex-GIs who during and after the war visited the laboratory which she and her chemist husband operate for the prduction of raw materials.

Because of Madame Noel's generous gifts and warm hospitality the GI's "had a picnic of picking perfumes for wives and sweethearts," according to letters of thanks written her which she still likes to re-read.

Now back in New York to build up her export trade with this country, Madame Noel's "briefcase" is a fascinating array of bottles containing perfume's aromatic essentials.

Interviewed at her Gramercy Park Hotel apartment, she said, tapping vial after vial like a conductor pulling musicians into a symphony, "a good perfume must contain the best raw materials and be blended by an expert."

"Perfumerie in France," explains Madame Noel, "is in some leading firms a family profession with guarded secrets handed down from father to son. Like wine, a perfume must be aged. To give it the final touch the perfumer adds infusions of musk, ambergris, civette, etc., which are aged from six months to three years or more."

Citing the complexity of mixing ingredients, she explains the need to blend 20 or 100 before a pleasing fragrance is developed. Ingredients range from civette, an evil smelling oil from the gland of an animal less socially acceptable than our skunk to the sweetest-scented oil extracted from the jasmine of the rose.

Sometimes only one drop of an ingredient, such as Italian orris root, is used to give "subtle" finish to a quart of de luxe perfume. Although most perfumes contain both natural and synthetic oils, some favorite florals come right out of the test tube, according to Madame Noel. By stirring up 60 different oils, she can give you a perfume which smells exactly like freshly saddle-soaped leather.

In Grasse the harvest season from which come the natural flower oils is beginning with the picking of orange flowers which yield "neroli," an oil used in most fine colognes. Spared the blight of war, Grasse, which is caressed the year round by a warm southern sun and bathed by the sea spray of a not-too-distant Mediterranean continues to yield tons of carefully cultivated blossoms. Carpeting these fields of southern France like a hooked rug solidly patterened with florals are thousands of acres of roses, jasmine, mimosas, carnation, violet, orange blossoms and other fragrant flowers.

To demonstrate how many wagon loads of jasmine flowers are first smeared with pork fat to absorb flower fragrance and then treated to produce the finished essential oil, Madame Noel enacts a little drama. Holding up a kilo of jasmine oil — a little more than a quart — she tilts the container of precious essence and says "There is more than a ton of blossoms in this jug."

The price of it? This amount of oil which sold for $3,000 and more during the war now goes for $1,000 per kilo. Prices for other raw materials used in perfumes range from one dollar to $1,000 and up per kilo.

"And yet," insists Madame Noel, "a good perfume need not be too expensive. A woman should be able to buy a fine perfume for $10 an ounce. Of course, the fancier the dress she wears ,the more the perfume is going to cost her."

Another point made by this frank careerist is that "women are too apt to have a cocktail of perfumes on the mirrored tray of a dressing table." Madame Noel believes that one fine perfume, cast to play the starring role and an understudy cologne of matching scent, are all the "come-hither" a woman needs for a hit show.



Madame Jeanne Noel, successful career woman in the French perfume industry, mixes a fragrant compound from an aromatic selection of samples from her "briefcase." Only a few of the dozens of bottles of perfume essentials she carries with her are pictured.

Progress In Fight On Tuberculosis

KANSAS CITY, March 26—(AP)—Members of the Missouri Tuberculosis Association were told Friday that the problem of the disease in the state is "browbeaten but not conquered."

The speaker was Mrs. Morrell DeReign, Caruthersville, Mo., president of the organization.

While great progress has been made, she reported at the annual meeting, there remains a large duty of "mopping up operations" for all local societies.

She recommended that medical and nursing schools devote more time to the study of tuberculosis and that hospitalization in Missouri be made less difficult through more personnel and more space.

The association was told that work of the organization in the state had resulted in the establishment of local societies in all but five of the 114 counties.

Youngest Son Of Former Kaiser Dies

STUTTGART, Germany, March 26—(AP)—Prince August Wilhelm, 62, youngest son of the former German Kaiser Wilhelm II, died Friday in a Stuttgart hospital.

The prince had been ill since January. Hospital officials said he died of a lung ailment.

He was the only one of the late Kaiser's sons to join the Nazis. He was convicted last May by a German court and sentenced to two and a half years' imprisonment as a Nazi offender. However, the prince was freed because he had been confined ever since the war awaiting trial.

Says CCC Books Out Of Balance

WASHINGTON, March 26—(AP)—Senator William (R-Del) told the Senate late Friday that books of the government's Commodity Credit Corporation "are $350,000,000 out of balance."

He asked unanimous consent to have the agency's records brought before the Senate immediately for an investigation.

Democratic leader Lucas of Illinois blocked the request as an attempted "smear" and a "preposterous proposal."

"I say it's unfair, unjust and it's political and nothing else," Lucas told Williams.

Because of the objection, Vice President Barkley said the Williams request must "go over" for later action.

Highest Point In Missouri Near Ironton

JEFFERSON CITY, March 26—(AP)—The highest point in Missouri—Mt. Taum Sauk near Ironton—will soon be made accessable by a road winding up its 1,772 foot slope.

Previously unreachable except by foot and horseback, there is already a jeep trail to the top.

The State Conservation Commission said today a 60-foot forest tower will be built on top of the mountain soon to watch 100,500 acres of timberland in iron county.

The rugged mountain gets its name from an Indian legend. Taum Sauk was once chief of the Piankishaw tribe, and when his daughter Mina Sauk eloped with an Osage, she was blacklisted by her father's medicine men.

Falls Created

To release her from a spell they threw her husband from the mountain. The daughter broke loose and leaped after him. Just then, so the legend goes, there came a flash of lightning, and a stream of clear water poured down from the mountain over the bodies of the pair.

Thus was created the beautiful Mina Sauk falls and the scars of Taum Sauk mountain.

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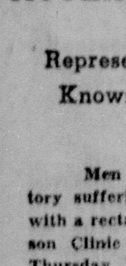
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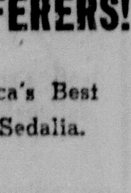
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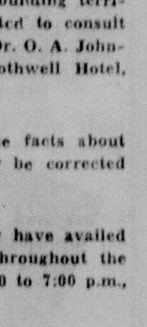
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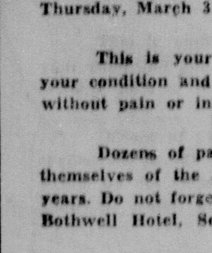
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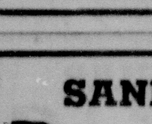
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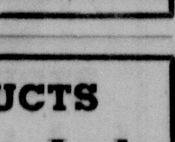
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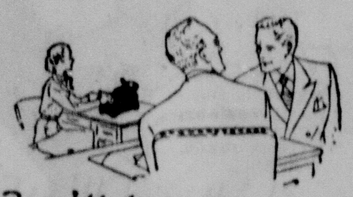


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Crossroads Comment

by G.H.S.

Over-emphasis of personal pride, ambition, and stubbornness has wrecked many nations—and homes.

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Blase Missourians are witnessing the birth of a volcano, much like the Mexicans who saw one spew forth lava in an open cornfield and grow to monumental proportions the last few years.

The first rumblings and wisps of smoke from a new Missouri volcano came from the pistols of hired gangsters who eliminated Wolf Rimann in Kansas City this week.

It makes for ravenous reading out-state where citizens of the small towns and open fields have a sense of security from the machinations of big town racketeers. But like the flowing hot lava of a volcano, metropolitan gang warfare can trickle down the growing cone to small towns.

The ramifications of organized gambling reach into many other fields of moral filth. It is big business in these United States, but a big business whose excesses the politicians seldom attempt to restrain in the same manner they beat legitimate business over the head with a club.

Organized gamblers and racketeers are becoming more and more lucrative contributors to political campaigns that offer protective pay-offs.

But when the pay-off doesn't come as anticipated the public is treated to an era of criminal liberties in the form of bombings, arson, and murder.

Sedalia and Pettis county are fortunate in having elected honest law-enforcing officers who did not campaign on a "pay-off" platform." There is hope our community, unlike Kansas City, will not be afflicted with jurisdictional disputes over gambling and liquor privileges.

—O—

Now who's trying to whip up another "spy" scare!

There must have been a few million Americans who were led to believe last year the so-called Russian spy menace was a lot of campaign herring-hooey.

However, a new administration hand-picked committee comes up with alarming allegations calling upon every patriotic American to report "suspicious activities" of a Red underground army in this country of 825,000 "spies, traitors and saboteurs."

This new committee plans to distribute more than a million copies of the startling documentary revelations in order to put Americans on guard. The report just issued lists one of the dangers of the spread of the spy danger as being "the naive attitude" of many Americans about the Communist danger."

We're going along with the idea that last year's "spy probe" was campaign hocus-pocus, and conclude that activities of Russian agents in this country only began after January 1, 1949 whereupon the new House Un-American Activities committee discovered it at once and proposes to take credit for saving the country by current warnings to the American people prefaced by this entirely new approach:

"What we (the committee) are trying to do is show you that there is a Soviet spy system in our country, what it is after, how it works and what it has succeeded in doing so far." So far, presumably meaning it's a new discovery by the 81st Congress.

Community News from

Green Ridge

Mrs. Verna Palmer

Mrs. Victor Ward was hostess to the members of the Green Ridge Extension club on Tuesday at her home.

A contributive dinner was served at noon. Following the dinner, the president, Mrs. D. D. Davis called the meeting to order and the club collect was repeated in unison by the members. Mrs. Earl Johnson made a report about the material for aluminum trays and the members decided to order the material.

Mrs. Davis reported on the one-act play that the Green Ridge club sponsored in the one-act play contest of Pettis county extension clubs. The play, "The Raven's Eggs," will be taken to LaMonte Saturday night, where it will be presented in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Roy Ragar read a paper on Foods and led the group in a quiz of "true and false" on the subject of food.

Mrs. George Richardson and Mrs. Melvin Ray were guests and became members at the close of the meeting. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, April 19, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Palmer.

The Green Ridge Rebekah lodge No. 330 held its regular meeting on Monday night at the Bennstt hall with Noble Grand Nina Brown presiding.

During the business meeting one application card was read and a gift was resented to Mrs. George Dowdy, Jr., a recent bride, by the members. The hostesses, Mrs. Pearl Bell and Mrs. Kitty Hoover served refreshments of sandwiches and cold drinks at the close of the meeting. The Rebekah degree will be conferred at the next regular meeting.

A birthday dinner, honoring George Powell and True Miller, was held last Sunday at the Powell farm home northeast of Green Ridge.

Those present were: the hostess, Mrs. George Powell, Mrs. True Ulmer and the honorees and Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwar Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haight, Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ulmer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Paul White, Mr. Lewis, Billy Ulmer and Mrs. Powell's mother, Mrs. Arnold.

The Mutual Improvement club of Green Ridge, met at the home of Mrs. Glen Morrow last Saturday afternoon with Miss. Grace Still as assistant hostess. The president, Mrs. Waldo Harbit, presided.

Mrs. F. L. Calvert reported that Martha Reeves had been chosen as the outstoning sophomore in the Green Ridge high school and would be awarded a trip to Jefferson City, which is an annual pilgrimage, sponsored by the Federated clubs, on 9pril 1.

Mrs. Glen Morrow was program chairman and presented a program entitled, "Flight Into Fashions," which included women's fashions around the world. How nylon hose were manufactured was also included in the discussion.

A skit was presented by Shelly Sue Morrow, Judy Miller and Sue Harbit, which showed when to wear gloves and when not to wear them. Miss Gayle Kirkpatrick was the narrator for the skit.

Members present were: Mrs. L. B. Beach, Mrs. F. L. Calvert, Mrs. Ralph Chaney, Mrs. Floyd Egbert, Mrs. Waldo Harbit, Mrs. H. A. Hite, Mrs. Carl Johnson, Miss Gayle Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Clarence Mahin, Mrs. Russell Miller, Mrs. Loy Smith and Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh. Mrs. Ebert Close was a guest.

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M. U. Singers Appear Here On April Fifth

Barbara Roberts, Of Sedalia, Will Be Soloist

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 26—The University Singers, a select group of sixty-three mixed voices of students in the University of Missouri, with Miss Barbara Roberts of Sedalia as soprano soloist, will present two concerts in Sedalia April 5, under the direction of Dr. Paul Van Bodegraven, associate professor of music education and organizer of the group.

Both concerts will be given in the auditorium of Smith-Cotton high school, the first a 30-minute program beginning at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon for students and teachers of the school, and the other at 8 p. m., which will be a full concert open to the public. Presented under co-sposorship of the Adult Education and Extension Service and the Department of Music of the University, there will be no charge for either program.

To Sing Solo Parts

Miss Roberts will sing the solo parts in Shure's "I'll Take My Staff and Travel On."

Miss Roberts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts, 1313 West Broadway in Sedalia. A former student at Christian College in Columbia, where she sang with several choral groups, she is now a senior in the College of Education at the University.

Two other Sedalians, James W. Fullerton and Robert L. Wild, are also members of the exclusive University Singers and will appear in the home town concerts. Fullerton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fullerton, 912 West Seventh street, and is a senior in the School of Journalism. Wild, who is a graduate student at the University, is the son of Mrs. A. B. Wild, 1302 West Fifth street, in Sedalia.

Two-Part Program

In the evening concert the singers will present a two-part program of eighteen numbers, blending the light with the classical, the soft organ tones of the hymnal and the Negro spiritual with selections from Rodgers' "Carousel." The same program is to be presented by the University Singers in their annual spring concert on the campus at Columbia April 7.

The Sedalia appearance will be the second off-the-campus concert tour of the singers this year under the sponsorship of the University's Adult Education and Extension Service. The group sang before 12,000 high school students and their teachers in St. Louis high schools last December. At that time they also visited Radio Station KMOX of St. Louis, where a program of Christmas songs was recorded and later broadcast as a feature of that station's New Year's Eve program.

Sixty-Three Voices

The University Singers is comprised of the best voices on the campus chosen after exhaustive auditions. All members have had previous singing experience, and about half of the present broup the majoring in music or music education at the University.

Normally limited to sixty voices, the present organization includes sixty-three because of the outstanding quality of voice of the several hundred original applicants., Six of the nine University divisions on the Columbia campus are represented in the present group, in which students from nine states are included.

The Singers will travel to Sedalia in chartered busses, leaving Columbia at noon on April 5, and returning immediately after the evening concert. In addition to conductor Van Robegraven, they will be accompanied on the trip by C. W. Bellew, supervisor of field service in the Adult Education and Extension Service, and by a chaperon.

Paul Heyne Wins In Oratory

JEFFERSON CITY, March 26—(AP)—Paul Heyne of Concordia won first place at the American Legion oratorical contest for Missouri high school students here Friday.

Heyne was awarded $100 and a gold medal. He will represent Missouri April 12 in the regional contest at Topeka, Kas.

The region also includes Nebraska and Iowa.

Heyne spoke on "The sovereignity of the people, then and now."

Bob Wallace of Springfield came in second and received a $75 award.

Joseph Callahan of Normandy won third prize of $50 and Miss Eska Nash of Columbia received $25.



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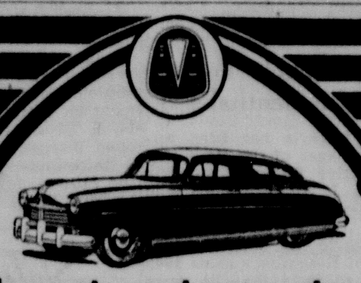
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The old family type organ owned by Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fraley, of 903 South Lamine avenue, which was bought at an auction sale at which Kemp Hieronymus, left, was auctioneer. The organ has been refinished by John Starkey, center, and the instrumental structure work done by Carson Meredith, right.

Recently while Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fraley, of 903 South Lamine avenue, were attending an auction sale on East Broadway an old-fashioned family style organ was put up for sale and Mrs. Fraley's thoughts went back to the time when the same kind of organ came into her home when she was a little girl. She remembered how proud the family had been and how she had learned to play on it. Then organs went out of style and pianos came in, so families who had organs got rid of them. But Mrs. Fraley didn't like the piano—she still liked the old organ with its softer tones. All through her life she wanted again the little organ she had learned to play on.

When the little organ was put up and the voice of the auctioneer, Kemp Hieronymus, rang out at the auction sale, Mr. and Mrs. Fraley began to bid on it and finally they got it. It looked well its years but it still had possibilities. One pedal was broken, but as Mrs. Fraley played it the tone was the same as she remembered in her childhood.

Had It Refinished

They took it to John Starkey who refinished it. It was solid walnut with only three of its original pieces missing. Judge Harry Berry did the fancy shelf work and Carson Meredith the work on the instrumental structure, Harry Collins did the printing and when they were finished it looked as new as the organ that first came into Mrs. Fraley's home when she was a little girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraley enjoyed getting the organ fixed up. They went to one of the local stores to buy material for trimming. A young man waited on them and wanted to sell them some thread and buttons to go with it. "But we don't need thread and buttons" they told him.

"I don't see how you can use it without," he said.

Then they told him it was to be used for an organ and patches were to be glued on.

"Well," said the young man, "I have sold this material for children's play suits, women's jackets, men's sport coats, but never for an organ—I give up."

In addition to playing the organ herself, Mrs. Fraley has a daughter, Mrs. Chester Curtis and a little granddaughter, Annatta Fraley, 10 years old, daughter of Mrs. Curtis, who can play it.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraley plan to have music for their friends and are anxious to show their organ—for they are very happy to have it in their home, they want others to enjoy it, too.

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Find Wealthy Matron Slain

Officers Say Killer Flung Self Under Subway Train

By Arthur W. Everett

NEW YORK, March 26—(AP)—A wealthy, middle-aged matron was found dead in her Park avenue apartment Friday, strangled, police said, by a lovesick language teacher.

The slayer later flung himself to death beneath a subway.

The strange love story ended in murder and suicide nearly 24 hours before it came to light, officers added.

An apartment superintendent stumbled across the nearly nude body of 51-year-old Mrs. Helen Reinberg Friday.

She lay amid luxury in her seven-room apartment on the fashionable avenue.

About her neck was knotted a man's necktie.

A few hours later, detectives named as her slayer Jose Del Pino, 57, a former university Spanish teacher.

But he, too, was dead.

He flung himself beneath a subway train yesterday, officers said, two hours after Mrs. Reinberg died.

He left a note behind him.

Mrs. Reinberg "broke my heart," Del Pino wrote.

Apparently it was written after her death, police said.

"I'm just through making the greatest blunder of my life," the note read. "I can't think because I'm completely crazy."

Del Pino, the police said, frequently called on Mrs. Reinberg on Park avenue to give her language lessons.

The note indicated that he lost his heart to the middle-aged wife and mother.

There was no indication that she ever encouraged him or returned his love.

The note gave evidence that she spurned it finally.

This cost her life.

Mrs. Reinberg's husband, Gustav, is vice-president of the Cerro De Pasco Copper Corporation.

It is one of the world's largest. He is in Lima, Peru, on business, police said.

The Reinberg's 17-year-old daughter, Anne, is a student at Vassar college in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

With the discovery of the woman's body, police began a search for Del Pino.

Club Sends Gifts To Mercy Hospital

The Prairie Homemakers Club held an all day meeting March 17 at the home of Mrs. Jim Donnelly, two miles east of Knob Noster. Twenty four members, one visitor and five children were present. Mrs. Mac Shook and Mrs. Sonny Elliott became new members.

The meeting was opened by the vice-president, Mrs. Earl Gregory. Mrs. Walter Coats had charge of the devotionals. Mrs. Ima Lyle and Mrs. Lorene Miller gave a talk on refinishing furniture. Thirty-nine diapers were handed in, all hemmed, for the Mercy hosiptal.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Sonney Elliott.

Study in England

LONDON—(AP)—A three months study of social pediatrics in the United Kingdom is being made by 47 doctors and nurses from 14 European and Middle East countries.

They are holders of fellowships awarded by the United Nations International Child-Ministry of Health and the British Council.

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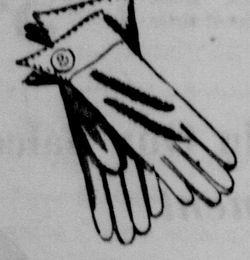
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Marriages, Society, Club Activities In And Around Sedalia

Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Potts, of 917 North Fountain, Cape Girardeau, Mo., announce the engagement of their daughter, Eva Ann McNeel, to Berton William Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Berton A. Andrews, of Cape Girardeau.

The marriage will take place at the Christ Episcopal church, that city, the last of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Corman, of Cole Camp, announce the engagement of their daughter, Eloise Elizabeth, of Honolulu, Hawaii, to Clenon F. Boyette, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clenon F. Boyette, of Ocracoke, N. C.

The wedding is planned for early April.

Mrs. Lewis Hall Ellison of Glen Ridge, New Jersey, announces the engagement of her daughter, Marylew Gantt, to Mr. William Boyd Lynch, Jr., of Evanston, Illinois.

Miss Ellison, the daughter of Mr. Ellison and the late Captain Ellison, U. S. A., was graduated from Glen Ridge High School and attended Madison College, Harrisonburg, Virginia, where she was a member of the Cotillion Club and Pi Kappa Sigma sorority.

She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ellison of Norfolk and Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Whitehurst of Portsmouth, Virginia, and is a direct descendant of Sir Thomas Applewaite who settled in Virginia in 1643 and was a member of the Virginia House of Burgesses.

Mr. Lynch, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd Lynch, 1405 South Warren avenue, of Sedalia, Missouri, was graduated from the engineering school of the University of New Mexico. He is a member of Pi Kappi Alpha and Sigma Tau fraternities and during the war served as an ensign in the U. S. Navy. He is with the Westinghouse Electric Corporation in Chicago, where the couple will reside after their wedding in June.

Miss Peg'ee Hewitt, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Hewitt, St. Louis, Missouri, and Homer R. Homan of Cloverdale Farms, Smithton, Missouri, were united in marriage at 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of the Smithton Methodist church. The Rev. E. E. Dillon read the single ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a slate grey gabardine suit with navy blue accessories and wore a white orchid in her hair. Mrs. Dick Monsees was the bride's only attendant. She wore a black suit with black accessories. Her corsage was a purple orchid.

Mr. Homan was attended by Mr. Dick Monsees of Hermosa Farm at Smithton. After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Homan will make their home at Cloverdale Farms, Smithton.

Mrs. E. F. Hausam, Jr., will return within a few days from a month's trip to the West Indies. She first went to Florida, took a plane to Cuba, then to the Dominican Republic, San Juan, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

At the present time she is spending a few days in Hollywood, Fla., with Mrs. Merrill Nevin, the former Miss Margaret Mackey, of Sedalia.

THE Helen G. Steele Music club will present the annual piano concerto program Wednesday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. at the Heard Memorial Club House.

Mrs. Lee Montgomery will speak on the history of the piano and its importance in music. Those playing on the program are: Mrs. B. B. Bess, Mrs. Oscar DeWolf, Miss Wilma Posson, Mrs. Paul Bertheoux, Mrs. Lyle Brown, Mrs. William B. Hert, Mrs. A. J. Harlan, Mrs. Jack Howard, Mrs. J. W. Watts, Mrs. Henry Salveter, Mrs. D. W. Heckart, Mrs. Jewel Harter Thomas, Mrs. Ralph Salmon, Mrs. Edward Ringen, Mrs. Fred Handley, Mrs. George Lovercamp, Mrs. William Bunn, Mrs. David Mahnken, Mrs. E. F. Paxton, Mrs. Fred Ross, and Miss Mabel DeWitt.

Mrs. J. W. Watts and Mrs. Paul Bertheoux are the chairmen for the day.



Mrs. Homer R. Homan who was married at 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at the parsonage of the Smithton Methodist church by the Rev. E. E. Dillon. Mrs. Homan was formerly Miss Peg'ee Hewitt, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Hewitt of St. Louis.

Miss Harriet Turley and Miss Freda Mueller gave a miscellaneous shower Monday night at the home of Mrs. John Welch, 1112 West Seventh street, in honor of Miss Dorothy Burford who will be married soon to Charles Huddleston.

The gifts were found by the bride-to-be in a wishing well and in a bucket attached to the top of the well were placed wishes to the bride which had been written by the guests. Miss Burford was assisted in opening the gifts by Miss Elva Huddleston.

As a memento of the party the guest of honor was presented with an apron on which all of the guests had written their names.

The evening was spent in playing Liverpool rummy with awards going to Miss Erma Fajen and Miss Katie Woodruff.

Refreshments were ice cream molded in the shape of doves and stuffed angelfood cake. Miniature baskets of plastic held salted nuts.

The home was decorated throughout with candles and spring flowers and on the dining table was a bowl of camellias.

Those attending were: Miss Burford, her mother, Mrs. Phil Burford, Miss Katie Woodruff, Miss Mary Shanks, Mrs. Joe Williams, Hughesville, Miss Erma Fajen, Miss Eloise Rose, Miss Elva Huddleston, Mrs. C. V. Huddleston, Miss Mary Ellen Merrell, Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Fern Bowers, Mrs. Bob Anderson, Mrs. A. F. Scott, Mrs. Robert Burford, Mrs. Harry Burford, Mrs. Florence Thomas, Mrs. Virginia Spalding, Marshall, Mrs. Archie Wilson, Miss Georgia Sullivan, Miss Eva Evans, Mrs. Undrill Renshaw, Mrs. Robert Lindstrom, Miss Lois Fricke, and Mrs. John Welch.

Mrs. Frank Monroe, 232 South Kentucky avenue, gave a small luncheon Thursday afternoon at the Heard Memorial club house in honor of a few close friends of Mrs. W. R. Hunt and Mrs. M. C. Abeles, who left Saturday for Caracus, Venezuela, and Milwaukee, Wis., respectively.

Winners in the duplicate bridge tournament at the Sedalia Country club Thursday afternoon were: north and south, Mrs. Victor Scott and Mrs. William E. Rich, and east and west, Mrs. W. Frank Keyser and Mrs. Jack Reeder.

Thursday will be the last day of the tournament, which has been held each Thursday during the month of March. Reservations for the tournament and the 12:30 o'clock luncheon must be in by Wednesday at noon.

Miss Mary Jo Vilmer was honored with a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening by Mrs. Cal Rodgers and her daughter, Mrs. Bill Roberts at the Rodgers home, 1620 South Beacon avenue.

The evening was spent in playing games, followed by the bride-to-be opening the many beautiful gifts.

Clever favors with vari-colored parasols with the names Mary Jo and Johnny were used as the refreshments were served.

Those present were: The honoree, her mother, Mrs. Guy Vilmer, Mrs. John Means, Mrs. Howard Fullerton, Mrs. Paul Berthouex, Mrs. Jim Coyle, Mrs. August Walker, Mrs. Howard Gwinn, Mrs. Ernest Holst, Mrs. William Reed, Mrs. Glenn Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Ralph Harrington, Mrs. Floyd Knerl, Mrs. Ray Williams, Mrs. A. E. Schilb, Mrs. Eugene Cramer, Mrs. Dale Green, Mrs. Howard Stevens, Mrs. Ted Schwermer, Mrs. J. B. Woodward, Misses Delores Hanigan, Pauline Milburn, Maxine Hatfield, Virginia Williams, Rosalie Kirkpatrick and Rose Marie Reed.

Those invited who sent gifts, but were unable to attend were: Mesdames Anna Sterling, Loy Kelley, Pete Swift and Misses Grace Frame and Juanita Means.

'Are You For Human Rights?' Sorosis Topic

Mrs. Stephen M. Pronko, of Brentwood, will be the guest speaker at Sorosis Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Heard Memorial Club House. She will speak on "Are You For Human Rights?" a subject on which she has spoken a number of times recently and has made a thorough study of since the United Nations adopted its Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Mrs. Pronko believes that it raises many interesting questions and that it is important for people of the United States to understand it. She thinks that people should have a knowledge of what has been accomplished by the United Nations in its three years of existence, and will bring the work of this organization into her talk.

Mrs. Pronko is the wife of Rev. Stephen M. Pronko, pastor of the Brentwood Congregational church, who was a speaker at Sorosis a year or so ago. She is a member of the National and Executive boards of the United Council of Church Women, a member of the National Committee on Christian World Relations of the United Council of Church Women, chairman of the Christian World Relations of Missouri Council of Church Women, and of St. Louis Council of Church Women. She lived in the Philippine Islands for about eight years where two of their three children were born.

A luncheon will be given in her honor at 12:30 o'clock preceding the meeting. Mrs. William Seelen, Current Topics chairman, arranged the program.

MRS. William Gibson, 1818 South Carr avenue, was hostess at a dessert bridge at her home Wednesday evening. At the two tables of bridge, Mrs. Jack Reeder and Mrs. Robert Johnson received awards for high and the consolation award was given to Mrs. Herman Bloess, Jr.

The committees for the Sedalia Country club under the new president are as follows:

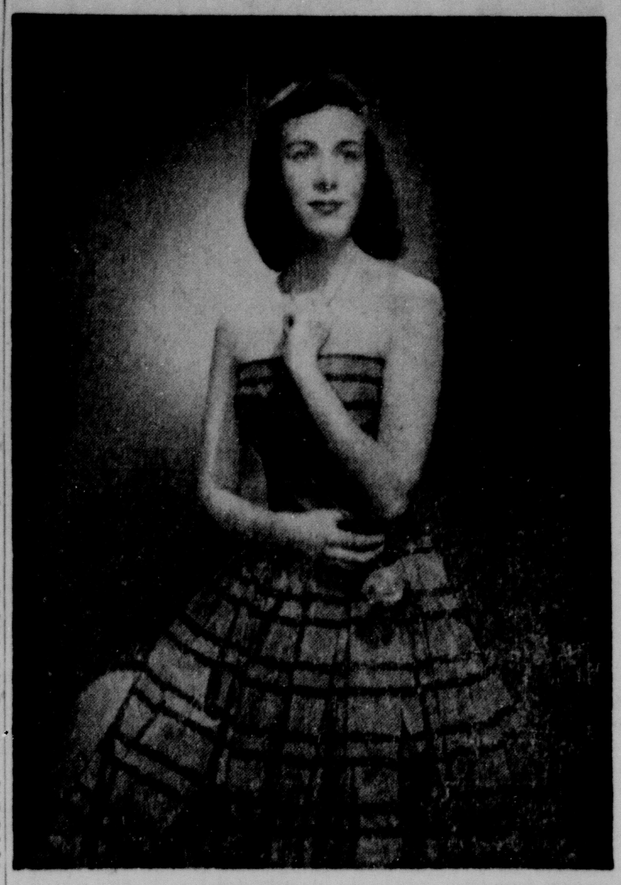
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Mrs. Harold F. Dean is chairman of the social committee for April and May and her co-chairman is Mrs. Richard Sklar. Members of the committee are: Mrs. R. H. Ahrens, of Warsaw, Mrs. Harold L. Baudendistel, Mrs. Ivan Berry, Mrs. Herman E. Bloess, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Boger, Miss Kathryn Courtney, Mrs. Henry E. Engle, Mrs. Ernest Gillespie, Mrs. Richard Gorrell, Mrs. Virginia Flower Hayes, Mrs. H. R. Harris, Mrs. John L. Heiss, Mrs. R. S. Johnson, Mrs. W. F. Keyser, Mrs. Roy Kirchhofer, Mrs. Floyd Lively, Mrs. E. P. Miller, Mrs. Gentry Patterson, Mrs. W. E. Pearl, Mrs. Joseph S. Quinn, Mrs. I. H. Reed, Mrs. Dan Robinson, Mrs. Katharyn Rosencrans and Mrs. G. H. Routszong.

Miss Allene Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hall, 911 Crescent boulevard, was hostess at a slumber party at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday and the birthday of Miss Mary Jane Anderson, daughter of Mrs. George Anderson, 1200 South Massachusetts avenue. Miss Hall's birthday was Saturday and Miss Anderson's is Monday.

Guests were members of the "H. D." club. They are: Miss Gayle Scruton, Miss Betty Rice, Miss Beryl Evans, Miss Norma Milburn, Miss Anderson, Miss Rose Ann Behrens and Miss Ruth Ann Keuper. Mrs. Fred R. Nuzum, Jr., was unable to attend.



Miss Marylew Gantt Ellison, whose engagement to Mr. William Boyd Lynch, Jr., of Evanston, Ill., has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Lewis Hall Ellison, of Glen Ridge, N. J. Mr. Lynch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd Lynch, 1405 South Warren avenue, Sedalia. (Photo by Bradford Bachrach.)

MISS Tracy Berry, 906 West Seventh street, entertained with a small luncheon Friday noon.

Guests were Mrs. Clay Goodloe, and Mrs. Grace Pannell, both of St. Louis, Mrs. Robert Spencer and Mrs. Harry Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith, 612 West Fourth street, entertained Friday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday anniversary of their son, Jerry.

Favors were balloons and pink baskets filled with Easter eggs. The children found their places at the table by large Easter eggs with their names on them.

A large pink and blue decorated birthday cake was served with other refreshments to the following guests: Linda and Larry Miller, Vicki and Sharon Lovall, Janice Orr, Judy Kerr, Jimmy Wilson, Tommy Pat Sharon, Roseanne and Terry Menefee, Kit and Karrie Taylor and Jerry's little brother, Tommy Frederick Smith.

George and Gary Allman, who were also invited, were unable to attend.

Mrs. Smith was assisted by Mrs. John Bowman.

Jerry received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Cord Bohling, of 1500 South Kentucky avenue, entertained the G.T.G. club on Tuesday, March 22, with a 1:00 o'clock luncheon.

Mrs. Golda Herrick, president, presided over the business session.

Mrs. Bohling, the retiring president, was presented with a gift.

The club had with them Mrs. George Rippey, a charter member, who is visiting here from Granby, Colo., where she now resides, and Mrs. Belle Stevens, who was able to attend the luncheon after a long illness.

Mrs. Eugene V. Walker, Dean apartments, entertained wth a dinner last week in honor of Mrs. Wallace Hunt, who left Saturday for Caracus, Venezuela, to join her husband, and for Mrs. M. C. Abeles, 910 State Fair boulevard, who will go with her husband to Milwaukee, Wis., to reside.

Guests were: Mrs. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Abeles, Mrs. Hunt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Huise, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts. Mrs. Walker was assisted in serving by her daughter, Miss Markie Walker.

The Loyal Sewing club held an all-day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gano Stearns, 920 West Sixteenth street.

A contributed chicken pie dinner was served at the noon hour to 21.

After the business session, the remainder of the day was spent in needle work to be sent to the Odd Fellows home for Christmas.

Each guest brought a gift to the hostess. Assisting hostesses were: Mrs. E. D. Sutherlin and Mrs. Floyd Kirkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sevier of La Monte, entertained with a bridge party at their home Saturday evening honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Paul Moore, La Monte and Mrs. Arthur Jens of Sedalia. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roger, Mrs. Owen Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Elon Keller, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Lehmer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jens of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Servier and Carolyn Sue.

Kenneth Rogers won high score and the traveling prize. For the men, Arthur Jens won consolation prize for the men. For the ladies, Mrs. John Jones won high score. The hostess serged angel food cake, salad and coffee.

MRS. Oscar H. De Wolf, 503 South Park avenue, returned Friday evening from Nachez, Miss., where she, with friends from Trenton and Jefferson City, attended the Natchez Pilgrimage sponsored by the Garden Clubs of Natchez.

Washington Parent Education Class Met

The Washington Parent Education class met Friday at the home of Mrs. L. C. White, 1528 East Fifth street, with Mrs. J. H. Anderson and Mrs. T. M. O'Bannon as assisting hostesses.

For the devotional, Mrs. Ralph Salmons read the story, "Mother Forgets." Mrs. Oliver Thomas gave an interesting talk on "Truth About Report Cards," followed by a general discussion.

Mrs. Garnett Starkey and Mrs. Edwin Shoemaker won awards in the game contest.

Refreshments were served to 17 adults and three children.

Patrol Films Shown At Liberty PTA

The Liberty Parent Teacher Association held its monthly meeting, Wednesday, March 23.

An election of officers was held with Mrs. Campbell keeping the position of president. Mrs. John Dirck was elected vice president, Mrs. Stean as secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Heuerman kept the position as reporter.

The dues for the coming year were collected and all members bought several Parent Teacher Association magazines. The highway patrol showed some interesting movies. Coffee and doughnuts were served by the Parent Teacher Association.

The next meeting will be held Friday, April 15.



Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Thomas, (center) who were married last Sunday by Rev. H. U. Campbell (extreme right) and their attendants, Mrs. Joe Stout, of 1208 South Carr avenue and Mr. Marion Marcum, of Otterville. Mrs. Thomas was the former Miss Betty Beymer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Beyer, 1501 South Missouri avenue. Mr. Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of Otterville. (Billy Cain Photo)

Church Events

The Earnest Endeavor Sunday School class of the Epworth Methodist church, will meet Tuesday night at 6:30 o'clock at the church for the regular monthly meeting. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

The Mary Martha Circle of the Women's Guild of the Evangelical and Reformed church met at the home of Mrs. Harold B. Wright, 1000 Crescent Drive, Thursday afternoon.

The meeting was opened with a worship service led by Mrs. Wright. A section of the study book, "On Our Own Doorstep," was reviewed by Mrs. Ernest Liebel. In speaking on her subject, "Alaska," she said that no matter how much money is poured into Alaska to expand or to fortify it, the needs of the country will remain unsatisfied because she needs a new emphasis upon spiritual values as against material progress.

The church has a vital role to play in fortifying the people against the greed and fear of war that now curse the land.

Mrs. Elmo Harlan, circle leader, presided during the business session which followed. Food and clothing for shipment to a family in Dresden, Germany, were dedicated by Mrs. Gene Teeter.

Birthday greetings were sung to Mrs. R. H. Sheffield, Mrs. George Young and Mrs. Hugo Webbink assisted in serving refreshments to 18 members.

The K.J.U. Class of the LaMonte Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Esther Rhoads Wednesday, March 17th. Mrs. Arthur Perkins, president had charge of the business meeting. Members present were: Mrs. Arthur Perkins, Mrs. Ernest Fredrick, Mrs. W. E. Walker, Mrs. Blankenship, Mrs. D. F. Wasson, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. Ruth Price, Mrs. George Landis, Mrs. Elon Kelier, Mrs. Ralph Hollenbeck, Mrs. Glenn Wellman, Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough, Mrs. Ross Watts, Mrs. Oliver Sevier, Miss Jessie Yancey, Mrs. Roy Alexandra, Mrs. Dick Lambert, Mrs. Raymond De Frain, Mrs. George Swope, Mrs. Esther Rhoads. The visitors were: Mrs. J. D. White, Miss Mable Harris and Mrs. Emma Kerby. The Rev. Glenn V Blankenship is teacher of the class. The members worked on rugs. A contributive dinner was served at the noon hour. The members of the class will serve an Easter breakfast on Friday, April 15th, at the church from 7:00 o'clock to 9 o'clock a. m.

The next meeting will be held at the church with Mrs. Ruth Price and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough hostesses.



Miss Eva Ann McNeel, whose engagement to Berton William Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Berton A. Andrews, of Cape Girardeau, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Potts, of 917 North Fountain, Cape Girardeau, formerly of Sedalia.

Roy J. Buehrle To Manage Rosenthal's

Roy J. Buehrle has been appointed manager of the Rosenthal store effective Monday morning succeeding J. J. Federman, who has resigned to accept another position.

Mr. Buehrle has been assistant manager of Rosenthal's since 1945 and has had more than 24 years experience in the clothing field and more than ten years in department store operation. Mr. Buehrle and family reside at 1401½ West Third street.

Diemer Heads Cancer Campaign in District

George W. Diemer, president Central Missouri State college, Warrensburg, has been appointed Cancer Campaign chairman for the April 1949 campaign for District 6 of which this county is a part. He will select a campaign chairman for each one of the counties in the district, allocate the county quotas, and provide the leadership of the campaign. The following counties are in the district: Bates, Cass, Henry, Lafayette, St. Clair, Vernon, Benton, Cedar, Johnson, Pettis and Saline.

To Attend Convention

Mrs. George Wilson, 909 South Missouri avenue and Miss Gertrude Kolbohn, 231 South Quincy avenue, left Saturday for Joplin to attend the State convention of the Woodmen's Circle lodge.

Juniors Have Winning Play

The annual Intra-Mural Play contest of Smith-Cotton was held Thursday and Friday. The junior class with the play "Fixers Incorporated" won first place. Those in the play were Leo Eickhoff, Bob Van Horn, Olive Vinson, Donna Maria Robinson, Bill Matthews and Wilma Schilb. The director was Patty Edwards and state manager, Sue Harris. The freshman class with the play "Not Tonight" won honorable mention.

The loving cup was awarded to Marjorie Liebel for her splendid acting as Magnolia in the play "Magnolia Blooms." Honorable mention went to Jimmy Watts, Bill Matthews, Wilma Schilb, Betty Newland, Delores Gorsett and Nancy Cook.

The judge of the plays was Mr. Ralph Vorhis, from Missouri Valley College, at Marshall.

Education Class Meeting

Whittier Parent-Education class met at the home of Mrs. Palmer Nichols, 622 East 17th street, Friday afternoon, with a large group in attendance. Mrs. Ray Dirck presided over the short business session. An article on "Management on Time," was read by Mrs. M. E. Green, program leader. An open discussion was held.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Nichols assisted by Mrs. Virgil Reed.

Style Guide for today's woman



By Frances Sagaloff at Sage's

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Background For Easter



Basic backgrounds for the Easter fashion parade are supplied by these neutral-toned costumes. Brown pin-checked worsted suit (center) plays up styling details such as triple pockets and flared cuffs with brown taffeta piping. Bow-tied blouse is made of matching brown taffeta. Coat-dress (left) of steel gray woolen sharkskin is a versatile addition to a spring wardrobe. Wheat-toned cashmere velour adds richness to the double-collared coat (right) with its low-pocket silhouette.

Antarctica is almost as large as South America.

Thomas Edison was granted 1,097 patents in his lifetime.

Orchid of Orchids



This speckled lady slipper orchid, named the Clementine Churchill after Mrs. Winston Churchill, is on display at New York's 33rd International Flower Show. Grown from seed and raised by L. Sherman Adams, of Wellesley, Mass., it is valued from $150 to $200.

Special Week For Baptists

The First Baptist church will observe Church Development Week during the next five days. This will be a week of study in church leadership and methods of training. Director for the work will be Mrs. Edward H. Burch, of Springfield, who is well known in Baptist Training Union work. Mrs. Burch will teach the Adult class. Other teachers will be: E. Norman Webb, Young People's class; Mrs. Charles J. Hofmeins, intermediate class; and Mrs. E. Norman Webb, Junior class. Study periods will begin at 7:00 o'clock and continue until 9:00 o'clock.

William A. Morgan, general director of the Training Union of the First Baptist church, states that supper will be provided for those enrolled in the classes at 6:30 each evening.

Community News from La Monte

Mrs. E. P. Burke

The Willing Workers Sunday school class of the La Monte Methodist church met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Cecil Adams Thursday, March 11. Mrs. William Bolton, president, conducted the business meeting. A contributive supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thomson, of Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. John Phipps, of Moberly, Mr. and Mrs. August Tegtmeyer, of La Monte, drove to Marshall, March 19th, for a birthday celebration of their father, G. M. Smth, who was 86 years old. Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. Thomson and Mrs. Tegtmeyer are all daughters of Mr. Smith.

The Character Builders Sunday school class of the La Monte Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. R. B. Burke Wednesday afternoon. The president, Miss Connie Nash, conducted the business session. Refreshments of cookies and grape juice were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jim Carpenter.

Mrs. Gilman Scott, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Delapp and family, of Kansas City, for the past two weeks, returned to her home Friday.

Mrs. E. A. Ficken entertained with a party at her home Saturday evening. Guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reavis, Miss Fern Reavis, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sevier and son, D. I., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perkins and son, Leroy and Miss Mary Wellman. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens and Marion and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts were guests at a chili supper Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hollenbeck and daughter, Rowena.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith and daughter, Darlene, of New Bloomfield, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Cassie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Purnell and mother, Mrs. Purnell, of Deepwater, Mr. and Mrs. George Fichter and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fichter, all of Hughesville, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Drake and father, Mr. Noland were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wood.

Mrs. Pittman, of La Monte, is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mabel Farley, in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Buckley and sons drove to Warrensburg Sunday to visit Mrs. Buckley's niece, Mrs. Paul Pearson, of Higginsville, who is a patient in the Warrensburg clinic.

J. W. Moles and son, Harold, drove to Clarksburg Thursday to visit his father, A. M. Moles, who is ill. J. W. Moles made a business trip to Kansas City Thursday evening and returned home Friday.

Mrs. Nellie Sparks left Sunday morning for Sedalia to meet her sister, Mrs. Jenny Sparks, of Kansas City and both went to Syracuse to visit their brother, Will Holman and family for a week.

Mrs. Carl Miller, of Kansas City, spent Saturday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Sparks. She was on her way to Columbia to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Berry and children, Kenny and Helen Mae, were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kurman Riley, in Sedalia, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perkins left Wednesday morning for a visit of a week with Mr. Perkins' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perkins in Greencastle, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lowery, of Kansas City, visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Purnell and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lowery, of Hughesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidwell, of Windsor, called on Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown, of Winterset, Iowa, visited a week with her sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. John Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith, of Paola, Kas., spent the week end with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Cassie Smith.

Elwood Wharton, of Joplin, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buffon drove to Warsaw Sunday and visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Dyer. Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, formerly resided in La Monte.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lane visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bell, near Green Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wharton, of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dyer, of Warsaw, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wharton.

Mrs. Joe Patton visited a few days last week with her father in Harrisonville.

Mrs. Ida King left Wednesday for Kansas City for a visit of a week with relatives and friends.

Community News from Smithton

Mrs. Verona M. Neumeyer

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Oehrke and son, Gail, and Miss Joan Daniels drove to Corder Sunday, where they were dinner guests in the home of Mr. Oehrke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Oehrke, and other relatives.

Othel Griffith is ill and confined to his home with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Sutherlin are confined to their home with the mumps. Their three children have recovered from them.

Mrs. John Calvin and Mrs. Walter Baxter are both ill and at home with the mumps.

H. S. Ramseyer has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May, of Houstonia, formerly of Smithton, were ill with the mumps a short time ago.

Peter II and Betsy Siegel, children of Dr.and Mrs. P. V. Siegel, have been ill with the chicken pox.

Mrs. Rose Myers, of Kansas City, has been visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Lamm, and other relatives.

Miss Emma Monsees, who has spent most of the winter in North Platte, Neb., with her sister, Mrs. Bernard Johansen, and Rev. Johansen, has returned to her home in Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klein and family, of Higginsville, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Verts and August Klein on Sunday.

Miss Alma Luetjen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Luetjen, of Gillett, Ark., and granddaughter of Mrs. George Luetjen, visited over the week end. She was employed in Kansas City, but resigned to go to Memphis to resume her job with the Chicago Airlines company.

Patty Pace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pace, has been ill with the mumps.

Miss Martha Meyer, who is staying in the home of Mrs. Bettina Weiffenback, is ill.

Marilyn Green, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Green, is ill with the mumps.

Mrs. W. J. Holtzen spent last week visiting in the homes of her two sisters, Mrs. W. C. Graff, of Carthage, and Mrs. William Kleeman and family, of Stotts City.

Dickie Yeager, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Yeager, has been ill with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. George Monsees, of Kansas City, are the parents of a daughter, born on Monday, February 21 at the Research hospital in Kansas City. It has been given the name, Martha Gail Monsees.

Ruth Evelyn Green has been absent from her teaching position with the mumps.

Mrs. Walter Maloney has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Lizzil Bohon is ill and confined to her home.

Mrs. Harold Gilmore, of Freemont, Ohio, returned home Sunday, after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs H. S. Ramseyer, and Mr. Gilmore's mother and other relatives. Mr. Gilmore returned home several weeks ago, after visiting a week.

The following were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Homer Jaeger: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Green and daughter, Sandre Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gero, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hall, of Clinton; Emil Overby, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Meyer and sons, Mrs. Lillian Homan, Milo Homan and Marceil Holman.

Mrs. Ira Smith is ill and confined to her home.

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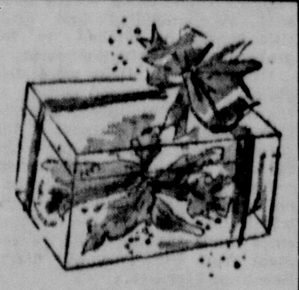


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Larry Jansen Was on the Mound for Giants

OAKLAND, California, March 26—(AP)—The world champion Indians punched out 17 hits today to humble the Oakland Oaks, champions of the Pacific Coast League, 14 to 4 before 11,305 spectators.

LOS ANGELES, March 26—(AP)—Larry Jansen, the probable opening day pitcher for the New York Giants, indicated he's ready right now by tossing a three-hit exhibition shutout against the Chicago Cubs today. The Giants won, 8-0.

BURBANK, California, March 26—(AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates bombarded four pitchers for 18 hits today and coasted to an 11 to 4 victory over the St. Louis Browns. It was the Smoky City crew's eighth straight in citrus belt competition.

TAMPA, Florida, March 26 — (AP) — Pitcher Jack Kramer and center fielder Tommy O'Brien hit grand slam homers during separate five-run innings today as the Boston Red Sox downed the Cincinnati Reds, 10-7, before a crowd of 1,227 fans.

CLEARWATER, Florida, March 26 — (AP) — A five-run eighth inning uprising featuring a homer by Ron Northey gave the St. Louis Cardinals an 8-6 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies today.

VERO BEACH, Fla., March 26 — (AP) — Behind the seven-hit pitching of rookies Morris Martin and Jack Banta, the Brooklyn Dodgers blanked the Washington Senators today, 4-0.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 26—(AP)—The Boston Braves rallied for five runs in the seventh inning today to come from behind and defeat the New York Yankees, 5-3.

M.I.A.A. Indoor Track Results

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 26—(AP)—Summaries of the M.I.A.A. indoor track and field meet tonight:

Mile run—1, Corse, Cape Girardeau; 2, Anderson, Maryville; 3, Smith, Rolla; 4, Luckhardt, Kirksville; 5, Phillips, Springfield. Time 4:37.7.

60-yard dash—1, Neil, Maryville; 2 Zuchoski, Maryville; 3 Carter, Maryville; 4, Powers, Springfield; 5, Glazier, Springfield. Time 6.5 seconds.

Shot put—Bock, Rolla, 45' 5½"; Wormsley, Maryville, 43' 11"; McDaniel, Cape 43' 2"; Davis, Springfield, 41' 3⅝"; Daly, Maryville, 40' 4¾". (new meet record. Old record 44' 10⅜").

440-yard dash — 1, Glazier, Springfield; 2, Harwood, Rolla; 3, Allen, Cape; 4, James, Maryville and Lovan, Warrensburg, tied for fourth and fifth. Time 54.9 seconds.

60-yard high hurdles—1, Nazworthy, Warrensburg; 2, Corbin, Rolla; 3, Burham, Maryville; 4, Schulhardt, Rolla; 5, Poole, Cape. Time 8.2 seconds.

High jump — Coffee, Cape, 6' ⅝"; Walker, Rolla and Bayliss, Springfield, 5' 11⅝"; Middleton, Warrensburg, and Schoneman, Maryville, 5' 8".

Two-mile run — 1, Anderson, Maryville; 2, Smith, Rolla; 3, Joyce, Springfield; 4, Schatz, Springfield; 5, Smith, Rolla. Time 10:13.7.

S-C Fifth In Kemper Meet

The Smith-Cotton Tigers took fifth in a six-team indoor track meet at the Kemper Field House Friday afternoon. The Sedalians placed six boys in the meet.

They were: Eugene Hargrove—Tied in a three-way tie in the pole vault (9' 10½"), Billy Sid Kennon and Carl Quinn placed 2nd and third respectively in the shot put. The winning toss was (44 feet nine inches, Hannibal), Sidney Vanderlinden placed fourth in the mile. The winning time was (4 min. and 47.7 seconds by Boonville high). Carl Quinn placed Third in the 40 yard dash. "Bill" Buhlig was fourth in the half-mile. The winning time was (2:14 mins. by Boonville high, one tenth of a second short of a new record).

The teams finished in this order: Kemper-36 points, Hannibal-30 5/6, Boonville high-28, Wentworth-19, Sedalia-12 1/3, Jefferson City-5 5/6.

Underdog Cambridge Defeats Oxford

LONDON, March 26—(AP)—Half a million Britons yelled with carnival abandon as eight husky Cambridge lads defeated Oxford in the annual boat race on the Thames today.

The underdogs, Cambridge crew, flashed into the lead for the first time only 50 yards from the end and won by a quarter of a length. It was the closest finish since an Oxford man broke his oar in 1877 and the crews finished in a dead heat.

Cambridge rowed in the same thin shell it used last year when it set a record of 17 minutes 50 seconds. Today's clocking was 18 minutes, 57 seconds on an upstream row against an ebbing tide.

This was cambridge's 51 victory in the 95 times the classic has been rowed. Oxford has won 43 times.

Hutton Won Semi-Final Bout in NCAA Wrestling

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 26—(AP)—Five Oklahoma A. & M. matmen this afternoon won their way into tonight's finals of the NCAA wrestling championships, strengthening the Aggie bid for another national crown.

Feature match of the semi-final bouts was the heavyweight battle between Dick Hutton of the Oklahoma Ags and Robert Madegan, Michigan State grappler. Hutton finally copped the decision 5-3.

Madegan took an early 2-0 lead and held a 3-2 edge going into the final seconds of the match. With only 30 seconds remaining, Hutton scored a take-down on Maldegan, good for two points and the victory.

U. Of Illinois Took Third Place In NCAA Finals

SEATTLE, March 26—(AP)—The University of Illinois came from behind to squeeze past Oregon State college tonight 57-53 and earn third place in the National Collegiate Athletic Association's basketball finals.

Bowling Results

Mo Pac Bowling League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Machinists	36	27	.666
Wheel Shop	32	28	.641
Reclaim Plant	47	34	.580
All Stars	45	36	.555
Clerks	44	37	.543
Electricians	42	39	.518
Appr. Club No. 1	41	40	.506
Coach Shop	39	42	.481
Carmen	34	47	.419
Appr. Club No. 2	31	50	.382
Sheetmetal Workers	30	51	.370
Pattern Shop	27	54	.333

High Ten Averages

Jimmy Taylor	177
C. Michaelis	169
Jack Lobaugh	163
Don De Lapp	163
C. W. Cooper	161
F. Hanigan	158
H. J. Arens	158
B. Michaelis	158
F. Sedlak	158
H. B. Satterwhite	157
H. J. Lane	157
High Ten, Lobaugh	220
2nd High Ten, F. Hanigan	199
High Thirty, Lobaugh	532
2nd High Thirty, Don DeLapp	529
High Team, Appr. Club. No. 2	2350
2nd High Team, Clerks	2306

Thursday Night, 7 P. M.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Thompsons	52	36	.660
Shrine Club	46	32	.590
Typographical Union	42	36	.540
Dan Robinson Nash	39	39	.500
Routszong Motors	31	47	.400
Griddle	26	52	.340

High team single game, Typographical 985.
High team series, Typographical 2838.
High ind. game, Ryan, 189.
High ind. series, Ryan, 509.

Ladies' Duck Pin League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Town and Country	48	30	.615
Perry's Music Store	40	36	.564
Rice's Leghorn Farms	40	38	.513
Adco, Inc.	36	42	.462
Howell's Seed Store	35	43	.449
Tom's Candies	31	47	.397

High team game, Town and Country, 781.
High team, series, Town and Country 2241.
High individual game: DeLapp, 188.
High individual series, DeLapp 460.

Men's Ten Pin League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Grapette Bottling Co.	21	15	.580
Johns' Auto Supply	18	18	.500
Stanley Coal Co.	18	18	.500
Town and Country	15	21	.416

High team, single game, Grapette Bottling Co., 1014.
High team series, Grapette Bot. Co., 2836.
High ind. game, G. Elliott, 194.
High ind. series, H. Gudmundson, 491.

RPW Bowling League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Burford	40	32	.605
Mullins	42	36	.531
Anderson	42	30	.518
Prowell	41	40	.506
Bond	35	46	.432
Ritchey	33	46	.407

High team single game, Prowell, 893.
High team series, Burford, 2566.
High ind. game, L. Hamlin, 182.
High ind. series, M. Wicker, 486.

Men's Duck Pin League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dairy Queen	45	27	.625
Beach	45	27	.625
Perry Music Co.	36	36	.500
High Point Service	35	37	.486
Pucketts Cafe	28	44	.389
Manor Bread	27	45	.375

High team single game, High Point Service, 903.
High team series, Beach, 2594.
High ind. game, Lingle, 199.
High ind. series, Lingle, 516.

Ladies' Ten Pin League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Acme Cleaners	51	33	.607
Sages	49	35	.580
Sedalia Supply Co.	49	35	.580
Vogue Shop	43	41	.511
Norman Stevens	35	49	.419
Lockette	25	59	.297

High team, single game, Sedalia Supply Co., 890.
High team series, Vogue Shop, 2557.
High ind. game, M. Crouse, 178.
High ind. series, M. Crouse, 452.

Friday Merchants League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Midstate Storage	36	26	.677
CR 66 Service Station	30	31	.615
Ralph Hamlin Station	47	34	.578
Midwest Auto Store	39	42	.480
Haller Office Equip.	27	54	.332
Cal Rodgers Pontiac	24	57	.295

High team, single game, Midwest Auto 1020.
High team series, Midstate Storage, 2867.
High ind. game, L. Duly, 206.
High ind. series, L. Duly, 526.

Sedalia Major League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
The Sports Center	46	38	.548
S.W.B. Telephone Co.	46	38	.548
Arbo Tire Co.	46	38	.556
Home Lumber Co.	41	40	.506
Black & White Mkt.	38	43	.469
The Victory Life Ins.	27	54	.333

High team single game, Arbo Tire Co., 990.
High team series, S.W.B. Telephone Co, 2832.
High ind. game, Nelson, 219.
High ind. series, Nelson, 530.

City Construction League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Anderson Sheet Metal	50	31	.617
Pittsburgh Corning	46	38	.593
Watkins Heat & Plumb.	43	36	.531
Hogan Const. Co.	42	39	.519
Fingland's Glass Works	39	42	.481
Queen City Electric	21	60	.259

High team series, Watkins Heating & Plumbing, 2846.
High team single game, Hogan Const. Co., 1009.
High ind. series, Nelson 608.
High ind. single game, Ryan, 246.

Monday Night Merchants League

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
J. C. Penney	43	36	.563
Stewart Ave. Mkt.	44	37	.543
Rosenthal's	40	39	.519
Falstaff	42	39	.519
Cummins Mkt.	41	40	.506
McLaughlin Bros.	39	42	.358

High ind. game, B. Zink, 198.
High ind. series, B. Zink, 508.
High team, single game, Stewart Ave. Mkt. 1013.
High team series, Stewart Ave. Mkt. 2973.

Michigan State has three national collegiate champions and six members of last year's U .S. Olympic team gracing its lineups in various sports.

Gene Bearden of the Indians beat every American League team except the Yankees as a freshman pitcher last season. The Yankees topped him twice.

Charles and Walcott to be In Title Bout

At Comiskey Park, June 22, Says Louis As I.B.C. Manager

By Charles Dunkley

CHICAGO, March 26 — (AP) — Promoter Joe Louis, with a fine sentimental touch, today announced the Ezzard Charles-Jersey Joe Walcott bout for his vacated world heavyweight crown will be fought June 22 at Comiskey park.

Director Louis of the International Boxing club, 12 years ago at the same place and on the same date, flattened Jim Braddock for the championship.

With the sentiment, the newly-formed I.B.C. displayed a pretty good business batting eye. The 35-year-old Walcott and 25-year-old Charles each will get 25 per cent of the receipts.

The other 50 per cent goes to the I.B.C., which should be a good fat take with the television folk all clamoring for rights on the bout.

Champ To Defend Title

Besides, the I.B.C. will have the Charles-Walcott winner committed to a title defense, within 90 days, against Lee Savold, or Britishers Bruce Woodcock or Freddie Mills.

The Charles-Walcott meeting has the blessings of the National Boxing Association as a title affair. But the non-NBA New York Athletic Commission scorns it as such, recommending that Joe's title should be pitched up for grabs in an elimination series.

Details of the fight were disclosed in a Hollywood setting at the office of the Illinois Athletic Commission. Chief purpose of the special meeting was to grant the I.B.C. an Illinois operating license.

But the session became the opening publicity blast on the fight which had been in the making since Louis announced his retirement from the ring at Miami Beach on March 1.

"For Sentimental Reasons"

"That's right, that's right—June 22 and Comiskey park—for sentimental reasons," admitted Louis. "That was one lucky night for me. This may be another in a different way."

It well may be that the showdown between the two Negro battlers will draw as the Louis-Braddock title match on June 22, 1937. Comiskey park, hard by Chicago's biggest Negro sector, was filled by 45,500 persons that time. They paid a gate of $715,470.

Charles, the Cincinnatian who gained his fame as a light heavyweight, will start preliminary training at West Baden, Ind. Walcott, who nearly upset Louis, will do his warming up at Hot Springs, Ark.

City Bowling Event Underway

Sedalia's first City Bowling Championship event was held Saturday night at 7:00 o'clock with 23 teams competing at the Sedalia Bowling Lanes.

The C. R. 66 Service bowling team was the top team in the first squad with a total of 2869 pins. Pittsburgh Corning was leading the second squad which got underway at 9:30 o'clock with a total of 1994 pins in two games played.

Other team line-ups in the first squad were: Falstaff Distributing company, 2817, Watkins Plumbing, 2763, Missouri Pacific Machinists, 2668, Anderson Sheet Metal, 2553, and Missouri Pacific Wheel Shop, 2549.

Two squads will play this afternoon at 1:00 o'clock and tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

This first annual event is being held under the sanction of the American Bowling Congress, and is composed of all the League Bowlers in Sedalia.

The total entries in these events are 23 five-man teams, 28 doubles, and 48 single entries.

The tournament at the Sedalia Bowling Lanes will be held two week ends, March 26-27 for team events, and April 2-3 for doubles and singles.

A bowling champion will be named in the following events: Five-man team championship; singles' championship, and all events' championship (bowler having the highest nine-game total).

Medals are to be given to all the champions and the sponsor of the winning team will receive a handsome trophy from the Sedalia Bowling Association and a championship certificate from the American Bowling Congress.

Harvesters Excelled Over Sweet Springs

The Sedalia Harvesters, who were once beaten by the Sweet Springs basketball team, got even with a 58 to 50 victory over the powerful Sweet Springs five. Sweet Springs had previously won the Houstonia tournament by defeating Sedalia's quintet in the finals of that tournament.

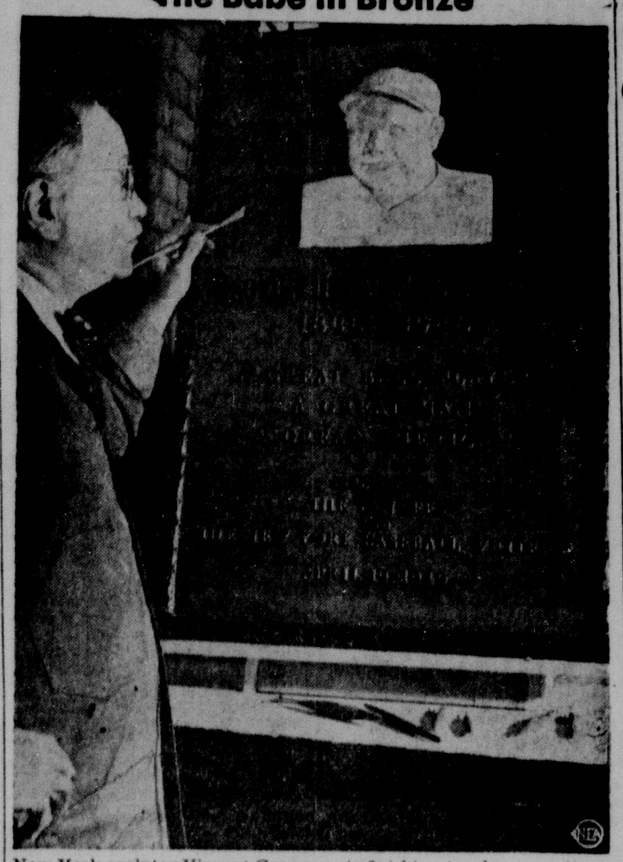
Minturn for Sedalia Harvesters was a leading scorer for the game with 18 points. Gilmore was high point man for Sweet Springs with 16.

June 30 Honor Night For Tom Fairweather

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 26—(AP)—Tom Fairweather, veteran official in organized baseball, is having a night in his honor here June 30.

The Tom Fairweather day ceremonies will be held during a game between the St. Joseph Cardinals and the Muskogee, Okla., Reds of the Western Association, one of the two leagues of which he serves as president. He also is head of the Three-I league.

The Babe in Bronze



New York sculptor Vincent Carano puts finishing touches on pattern to be used in casting a solid bronze plaque of the late Babe Ruth. The tablet in honor of the immortal King of Swat will be erected beside those of fellow Yankees, Lou Gehrig and Miller Huggins, in center field of the House That Ruth Built, and unveiled on opening day, April 19.

Fire Tower to be Erected Atop Mountain Near Ironton

IRONTON — Forest fire protection in Missouri has just reached a new high and gotten tangled up with Indian legend besides.

Atop fabled and inaccessible Taum Sauk mountain's 1,772 feet of elevation near here, a 60-foot forest fire tower will be erected soon, so Missouri Conservation Commission foresters may keep an unending watch for fires in the 100,500-acre Iron county extension of the Sam A. Baker fire protection district.

An 80-acre tract at the top of the mountain was recently purchased by the Forestry Division of the commission from Irene Ake of Ironton. Already a jeep trail has been opened up to tower site, a good all-weather road will be under construction soon and plans are drawn for immediate erection of the tower.

Opportunity To Visit

State Forester George O. White said today that: "Construction of the tower and of roads into the area will allow people an opportunity to visit this famed and scenic spot, the highest point in Missouri." Taum Sauk has always been unreachable except by foot or on horseback, which has added to the tales that have clustered about its mass.

The mountain has an interesting history and is unusual in its rugged topography of springs and canyons. It is part of a vastly old range that was in the path of early Spaniards traveling to the southwest from the region of what is now St. Louis. A part of the Ozark granite uplift, the area has been under the ownership of mining interests for years. Although the mountain lies in the area first settled and explored by white men, few ever saw its summit. A footpath marked by the Ironton Boy Scouts leads to the top and to the falls thereon.

Gonzales is Tennis Champ

NEW YORK, March 26—(AP)—Richard (Pancho) Gonzales of Los Angeles won the National Indoor Tennis championship today and became the first player in history to rule this country's amateur game on grass, clay and wood—all at the same time.

The 20-year-old Californian vanquished defending champion Billy Talbert of New York, 10-8, 6-0, 4-6, 9-7, in the finals of the 46th annual tournament.

Champions Are Crowned

NEW YORK, March 26—(AP)—United States indoor tennis champions for 1949 crowned today at the conclusion of the 46th National tournament:

Men's singles—Richard Gonzales, Los Angeles, Calif.

Women's singles — Gertrude Moran, Santa Monica, Calif.

Men's doubles—Bill Talbert and Dan McNeill, both of New York City.

Women's doubles—Miss Moran and Mrs. Richard A. Buck, New York City.

Mixed doubles — Miss Moran and Gonzales.

Women's A. A. U. Rules To Approximate Men's

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 26—(AP)—Women's A. A. U. basketball next season will approximate the men's version of the game more closely than at any time in its history.

Rules changes adopted by the National Rules committee, in session today at the 21st annual tournament here, lifted the restriction on a balanced court. The offensive guard can now rove at will and coaches can communicate with their teams at the end of the quarters and during times out.

The two-bounce dribble was put into the rules at the beginning of the season and today's changes will open up the game even more.

Miss Teunie McGhee of the Nashville, Tenn., business college, is chairman of the rules committee.

Test Due Late Sat. Between Okla. and Ky.

SEATTLE, March 26—(AP)—A capacity crowd began moving into the University of Washington pavilion an hour before the first game was scheduled to start tonight as Kentucky and Oklahoma A. & M. were ready to battle it out for the National Collegiate basketball championship.

The doors were opened at 7 p. m. (PST) and the fans who have had tickets far in advance of the hoop classic moved into seats.

The Kentucky-Oklahoma contest is a clash between two schools of basketball science—the lashing, driving, high-compression attack of Kentucky and the deliberate ball-control play of the Aggies. The test was due at 10 p. m. (PST).

Giants Pay Dodgers $40,000 for Behrman

VERO BEACH, Fla., March 26—(AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers sold pitcher Hank Behrman to the New York Giants today for a sum estimated at $40,000.

Behrman, powerful right handed thrower, has been in the Brooklyn doghouse for training violations ever since his arrival in the big leagues in 1946. He was sold to Pittsburgh in 1947 and then returned to the Dodgers. Last year he was sent to Montreal and then recalled.

Newcomers May Play With Missouri Varsity

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 26—One of the more persistent murmurs emerging from Missouri's spring football camp is that a pair of rangy ends off the 1948 "B" team will be playing plenty of varsity football for the Tigers this autumn.

The touted newcomers are Gene Ackerman of Soldan high school in St. Louis and Dale Portmann, a prep rival at Normandy high. Both are strapping youngsters just turned 20. Ackerman is 6-5 and 208 pounds, while Portmann hangs 204 pounds on a 6-4 structure. They handle their heft well too with an agility cultivated on the basketball court where each numeraled as a freshman.

Despite tailor-made physiques, neither Ackerman nor Portmann has an automatic visa into the top-rated class. Graduation of Mel Sheehan, Rollie Oakes and Bob Wren depleted the end troops somewhat—but five lettermen still rate first consideration as next-in-lines. The veterans flankers are Bob Ebinger, Kenny Bounds, Dick Armstrong, Jim Dusenbury and Fred Hulse.

Four Year Football Schedule Signed by University of Kansas

LAWRENCE, Kas., March 26—(AP)—Athletic officials at the University of Kansas today announced the signing of a four-year football schedule with Southern Methodist university.

On a home-and-home basis, the first game will be played at Dallas, Tex., October 25, 1952. The second game, marking the first appearance for S.M.U. in Lawrence, will be played Oct. 24, 1954. The remaining dates are Oct. 23, 1954, at Dallas, and Oct. 22, 1955, in Lawrence.

Springfield Lions Won IBAA Basketball Tournament

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 26—(AP)—The Springfield Lions defeated Benton, Ky., 61-58, in finals of the IBAA basketball tournament here tonight. Rolla took third by downing Springfield Harlows, 60-54.

Jake Holman, freshman at Murray State Teachers in Kentucky, who played for Benton, was named the tournament's most valuable player.

There are 23 active ten-year men in the American League.

Russian Hero Wins Upset in Grand National

66 to 1 Shot Takes $37,868 Purse by Eight Lengths

By Bill Macklin

AINTREE, England, March 26 — (AP) — An unsung 9-year-old gelding named Russian Hero jumped like a stag today to capture the 103rd Grand National steeplechase in a runaway finish.

His trainer didn't figure the horse had a chance—even debated with his owner about starting. The owner, William Fearnall Williamson, reasoned otherwise. Months ago bookmakers thought so little of Russian Hero that Williamson was able to get 300 to 1 on a $40 bet.

Russian Hero, which went off at 66 to 1, snatched the lead on the next to last fence and scampered home eight lengths in front of Roimond, a 22 to 1 shot. His $37,868 purse joined the $12,000 Williamson tapped from his bookie.

Another length back was the 18-1 chance, Royal Mount with, the 7-1 favorite, Cromwell, a well-beaten fourth.

American Entries Poor

The hundreds of Americans present in the great crowd, estimated at 300,000 to 500,000, got only a short run for their money out of two Yank entries.

Replica, in the blue and red silks of Richard K. Mellon of Ligonier, Pa., tumbled at the fifth jump. Then Caddie II, making his second national try for owner Paul Mellon of Washington, succumbed to the murderous seventh barrier.

Only 11 horses out of the field of 43 starters lasted through the suicidal run of four miles, 856 yards—the world's toughest racing test.

Killed In Tumble at Fence

One of those which failed, the 11-year-old Bora's Cottage, was killed in a tumble at the 11th of the 30 fences.

Firm, dry turf and a windless day helped Russian Hero post one of the fastest times in the history of the race. Ridden by Jockey Leo McMorrow, he crossed the line in 9 minutes, 23 and 4/5 seconds. The record of 9:20 2/5 was set in 1934 by Golden Miller, and equalled in 1940 by Bogskar.

Browns Will Not Evict Cardinals

BURBANK, Calif., March 26—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns have decided not to evict the St. Louis Cardinals from Sportsman's park pending a court decision on their suit to break the lease. Previously the Browns said they would file eviction notice April 1.

William O. Dewitt, president of the Browns, in a formal statement said the Dodier Realty and Investment company had offered use of the park to the Cardinals.

The Browns, through the Dodier company, own the ball park.

Notice of forfeiture of lease was filed against the Cardinals in circuit court Feb. 28. The action is based on a change in the corporation name of the St. Louis National League club when ownership was transferred from Robert Hannegan to Fred M. Saigh, Jr.

The Cardinals' lease runs through 1951 with a 10-year option which the Redbird management has taken up. This means the Cardinals can stay in Sportsman's Park until 1961 unless the court decides the lease forfeiture case in favor of the Browns.

Aggies Set New Relay Records

STILLWATER, Okla., March 26—(AP)—Oklahoma A & M set five new relay records in winning the second annual Aggie preview relays here today.

The Aggies scored 92 points with the University of Oklahoma runner-up with 64.

Stillwater and Tulsa Central tied for first place in the high school division with 16 points.

The Oklahoma A & M freshmen won the junior college division with 20 points, Oklahoma Baptist university was second with 15.

Trailing the Aggies and Sooners in the college division were Arkansas 15, Wichita university 11, Southeastern (Okla) State 5, Oklahoma Baptist university 4, East Central (Okla) State 4, Southwestern (Okla) State 2 and Emporia (Kas) State Teachers 2.

The Arkansas freshmen finished third in the junior college division with 5 points. The Aggie freshmen "B" squad counted 4 and Phillips university, Enid, 1.

Merrell Herrell, Southeastern state, and Walter Byfield, Wichita university, turned in top individual performances. Herrell turned the 100 yard dash in 9.7. Byfield tossed the javelin 195 feet.

Olympic Junior College Wins NJC Tourney

HUTCHINSON, Kas., March 26—(AP)—A pair of field goals each by Ed Brown and Darwin Gilchrist in late minutes of play sparked Olympic Junior college, Bremerton, Wash., to a 61-53 victory over Dodge City, Kas., tonight in the National Junior College basketball tournament.

The victory gave Olympic fourth place in the tournament. Dodge City placed seventh.

Paired in the championship game tonight were Tyler, Tex., and Hutchinson, Kas.

Trailing from the opening play, Dodge City tied the score at 45-45 with five minutes remaining. Then came the quick fielders by Brown and Gilchrist that had the Washington team winning going away.

Also matched tonight were Compton, Calif., and Grant Tech, Calif., for third and sixth places.

Four States Enter High School Relays

TULSA, Okla., March 26—(AP)—Four states and 41 teams are represented so far in the sixth annual University of Tulsa high school relays to get under way Saturday, April 2.

Additional entries during the week are expected to swell the list above last year's competition, Director John Garrison said today. Forty-five squads, including 451 harriers, were entered in 1948.

Defending champions returning are Highland Park, Dallas, Tex., Class A; and Cleveland, Okla., Class B titlists.

Other out-of-state clubs are Woodrow Wilson, Dallas; Fort Worth, Tex., Tech; Springfield, Mo.; Denison, Tex., and Arkansas City, Kas.

Amateur Leads In Greensboro Golf Tourney

Stranahan Shot A Two-Under Par To Cling to Purse

By Ken Alyn

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 26—(AP)—Amateur Frank Stranahan, the Toledo Ohio, strong boy shot a two-under-par 69 today to cling to his one-stroke lead at the 36-hole-mark of the $10,000 Greensboro Open golf tournament.

Defending Champion Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago remained in second place with another 69 for a total of 136 which was matched by Dick Metz, Arkansas City, Kas., veteran who posted his second 68.

They, in turn, were only one stroke ahead of three other players, South African Bobby Locke, Sam Snead, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and George Schneiter of Ogden, Utah, the PGA tournament bureau manager.

But the real fireworks of the day's play over the 6,630-yard Starmount Country club course were touched off by the largest player in the tournament and one of the smallest.

235 Pound Professional

Burly Clayton Heafner, 235-pound Charlotte professional, and 140-pound Jerry Barber of Los Angeles exploded record-breaking 65s for 138 totals where they were joined by Johnny Palmer, Badin, N. C., who fell off to 71 today.

In all, 18 players checked in under par for 37 holes. Eleven were no more than four strokes off the pace as the field headed into tomorrow's final 36 holes. Sixty players qualified for the final play with 150 the qualifying limit.

Cary Middlecoff, Memphis, Tenn., dentist, who opened with a 68 after running one-two in his last five tournaments had putting miseries today and rose to 72, one over par. It was the first time in his last 18 rounds that he went over standard figures.

Loyola Wins Third Place From St. Benedict's, 71-70

DENVER, March 26—(AP)—The Loyola Greyhounds from Baltimore wiped out a nine point deficit in the last four minutes tonight to defeat St. Benedict's of Atchison, Kas., 71-70, for third place in the National Catholic Invitational Basketball tournament.

Jim Lacy, the Loyola forward who set a new four-year college scoring record in this tournament, won the game for Loyola on a free throw with 30 seconds to play.

Basketball Scores

Missouri National Guard basketball tournament at Columbia (semi-finals).
Hqtrs Co. 35th Division, Warrensburg 50, Company I, 138th Inf. St. Louis 49.
Battery B, 128th FA Regt. Columbia 66, Hqtrs. Btry 129th FA, Maryville 42.

National Catholic Invitational tournament (at Denver) consolation finals:
Loyola of Baltimore 71, St. Benedict's (Atchison, Kas.) 70.

National JUCO tournament (for fourth and seventh places) Olympic (Wash) 61, Dodge City (Kas) 53.
(For first and second places) Tyler (Texas) 66, Hutchinson (Kas) 64.

Exhibition Baseball

Boston (N) 5, New York (A) 2.
Brooklyn (N) 4, Washington (A) 0.
Boston (A) 10, Cincinnati (N) 7.
St. Louis (N) 8, Philadelphia (N) 6.
New York (N) 8, Chicago (N) 0.
Cleveland (A) 14 Oakland (PCL) 4.
Pittsburgh (N) 11, St. Louis (A) 4.

Paul Noel of the New York Knickerbockers acquired six fouls in less than 11 minutes in a Basketball Association of America game against Philadelphia recently.

Don Eagle to Meet Rugged Kashey Here

La Rance Brothers To Join Forces for Tag Team Match

Wednesday's Wrestling Matches In the Armory

Feature match—King Kong Kashey, 232, Compton, Calif., vs. Chief Don Eagle, 220, Island Pond, Vt. Best two out of three falls to a finish.

Tag team match—Jules and Johnny La Rance, Quebec, Canada, vs. Sonny Myers, 230, St. Joseph, Mo., and Lucky Simunovich, 238, Honolulu, Hawaii. Best two out of three falls, or a one-hour time limit.

Auspices of the American Legion.
Matchmaker—Pearl Christy.
Referee—Jack Hader.
First match Wednesday starts at 8:30 p. m.

Chief Don Eagle, the agile Mohawk Indian mat warrior, will return to the Armory on Wednesday night and will level his devastating tomahawk chopping strokes against the rowdy King Kong Kashey in the feature match.

The Indian chieftain is riding the crest of a victory wave throughout the Middle West and he is determined to oust the notorious Kashey from the ranks of the heavyweight title contenders. Chief Eagle has served ample notice to King Kong that he will meet any type of attack with equally rough counter-measures. Kashey has been blasting his way to victories by employing near-illegal methods.

There is considerable doubt that Kashey will find an easy target for his unorthodox tactics when he faces the dynamic Indian, who has become a great favorite among the wrestling fans in this city.

Eagle's return to Sedalia comes on the heels of his impressive triumph over Jimmy Coffield before 5,500 cash customers in Kansas City's Municipal Auditorium. It was the Indian's cleverly executed tomahawk chop strokes to Coffield's vulnerable windpipe that clinched the deciding fall for the Mohawk. The same medicine awaits Kashey if the Californian attempts any rough tricks against Chief Eagle.

Kashey Beat Myers

Kashey showed his mat prowess when he roughed his way to a triumph over Sonny Myers here last week. Kashey has asserted that he is not afraid of the Indian and intends to beat the chief by any measures that may be necessary to accomplish this feat. The fans can expect to see plenty of fast action when these two rivals come to grips.

Myers and Lucky Simunovich, who have been beating the drums for another crack at the La Rance brothers, Jules and Johnny, will get their bidding in Wednesday's tag team match.

Matchmaker Pearl Christy has been angling for several weeks to get Lucky and Sonny their return against the La Rances. Christy finally secured the necessary contract signatures and the grudge match will be offered on the Armory wrestling platter.

The tag team match is slated to go the best two out of three falls, with a one-hour time limit. The Kashey-Eagle feature will also go over the best two of three falls route, but there will be no time limit.

Jack Hader will referee the matches, which are scheduled to get under way at 8:30 p. m. on Wednesday.

Sedalia Blues Start Training, April 3

The Sedalia Blues will start their ball training next Sunday, April 3, at Housel Park at 1:00 o'clock.

Manager of the team, Jack Alpert has issued a call for all players interested to report for spring training. Alpert said yesterday that all positions were open on the team. Those interested in scheduling ball games may do so by contacting Davey Jones at 211 South Ohio avenue.

Alpert will be assisted in workouts of the team by Emery Bowman, formerly with the Hutchinson, Kas., team in the Western league.

Ban Johnson Club To Hold Ball Practice This Afternoon

The "Chiefs," Sedalia's Ban Johnson ball club, will hold its first practice providing the weather permits at 1:00 o'clock this afternoon at Housel park.

All ball players between the ages of 17 and 21 are invited to attend the practice.

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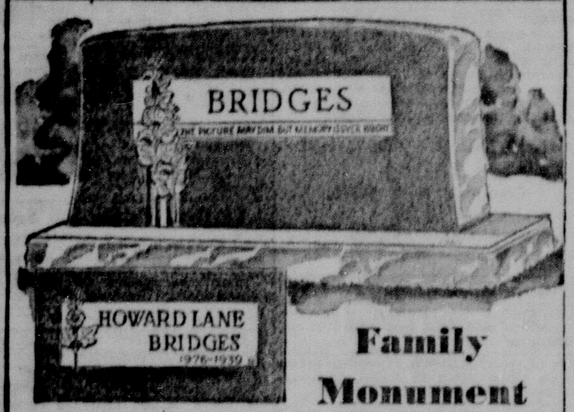
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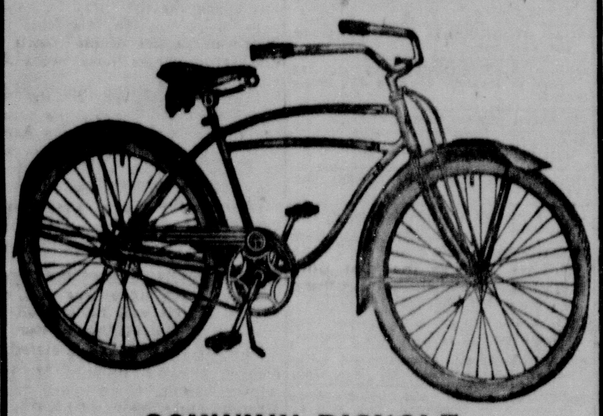
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Katy Service Has Kept Up With the Times

Humorous Incident In Its History Was in This County

The April issue of "Trains," an illustrated railroad magazine, carries an informative and comprehensive article on the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad, entitled "Katy Serves the Southwest." The article relates the history and growth of the road, its services and business area, and its modern administration.

In 1945, R. J. Morfa was installed as chairman of the board for the road, and began a program of administration that was to be characterized by the placement of men already with the road and familiar with ts organization to the higher positions on the Katy. Mr. Morfa's appointment of D. V. Fraser as president of the road inaugurated this policy, and it has since been carried out in many other offices, including placement of the 84 members of the board of directors.

To Eventually Have Diesels

The article also told of the Katy's plan of eventually replacing all of its 219 steam locomotives with diesel engines, of which it has only 27 at present. Much advance study and preparation has went into this long-range project, and extensive planning for the diesel system has been under the direction of Thomas H. Evans, chief mechanical officer of the road. Somewhat, of a paradox is noted in the fact that the conversion to diesels is being made belatedly, after the Katy has burned oil in steam locomotives for so many years. Oil and other petroleum products are the road's chief freight commodity.

Road in Good Shape

The physical condition of the road was pictured as good, following a period of rehabilitation advanced by the new administration and war prosperity. Over $117,000,000 has been spent for new rolling stock, buildings, track and other improvements and new equipment. The Katy now had 3024 miles of track, and tracking rights for another 228 miles. The average yearly total of passengers is 2,269,000 and over 18,000,000 tons of freight. The road employs over 5,000 people and in 1947 made industrial investments of over $20,000,000 in the southwest alone, where the road serves over 500 communities.

Passenger service on the Katy has also benefited from the new administration. Faster and more convenient trains and schedules enable the Katy to meet competition of more roads in its area, and some of these benefits have been derived from the plan of joint ownership of certain traing and used of certain track with the Frisco railroad. This has proved to be to the mutual benefit of both roads. The streamlined "Texas Special," operating partly over Frisco lines, is the successful example of this plan.

Katy freight service is sharing the products and profits of the industrial boom of the southwest, with new war-born industries and expansion programs, and nearly a balance is obtained in freight hauling to and from these districts. The eastern and northern districts have always carried freight to those directions in greater abundance than that taken from them.

A Humorous Incident

One of the most humorous incidents in Katy history is the story of "Lard Hill," an upgrade between Sedalia and Green Ridge. It seems that a Katy train once hit and killed a pig belonging to a widow with several children, who lived near the tracks. As it happened, the pig was about to be butchered anyway, so the widow just took care of the porker in the usual way.

Complications were discovered soon after her filing of a claim against the road for the pig. After discovering the circumstances of the accident, the Katy offered her $5 as final settlement. She indignantly refused this, and soon set about covering the upgrade tracks with the lard from the ill-fated pig. The train was unable to climb the grade over the slippery rails with the usual assistance of the sand it carried. Finally, much to the widow's delight and the trainmen's dismay, they were forced to clean the track with straw and other debris nearby before the train could slide over the grade and continue on its way.

Completes 50 Years With Katy Railroad

Chas. Butemeyer Receives Letter From D. V. Fraser

Charles B. Butemeyer, of 545 East Fourth street, completed 50 years of service for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad on Tuesday, March 22. His last work was as ward section foreman, and he plans to retire soon.



Charles B. Butemeyer

Mr. Butemeyer's uninterrupted period of service began with the Katy in 1899 at St. Charles, Mo., his native city. After section work there, he went to St. Louis and worked for a time with an extra crew, and in 1921 came to Sedalia. Since that time he and Mrs. Butemeyer have been residents of Sedalia, although his work has taken him over a large area of the railroad'sc territory.

Litter of Commendation

Following is a letter of commendation which Mr. Butemeyer received from the president of the Katy, D. V. Fraser. As revealed in the letter, Mr. Bultemeyer also received a fifty-year veteran's diamond emblem.

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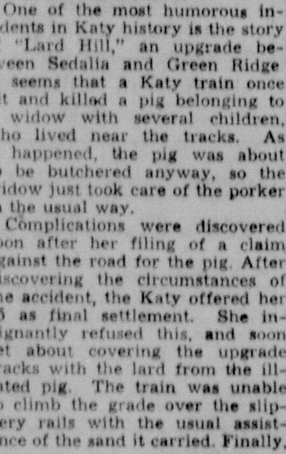
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PAPER HANGING AND PAINTING. Phone 1430-J

WALL PAPER CLEANED. Cleaner that cleans. J. Cutler, Dugans 142.

HANGING AND CLEANING PAPER. Work guaranteed. Phone 4482-J.

ED WRIGHT painter and paper hanging. 313 East Chestnut. Phone 2268-R.

WALL PAPER CLEANING. Wall washing. Work guaranteed. Phone 5031-J.

PAINTING, Decorating, Paper hanging. Neat work. H. O. Davis. Phone 3730-J.

UNION PAINTING, paper hanging and steaming paper. Jay Nicholson, Jr. Phone 4447-R.

III Business Service

26—Painting, Papering, Decorating Continued

PAINTING, INTERIOR and exterior. Work guaranteed. Lester Vansell. Phone 1762-J.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starke. Phone 2853-J.

30—Tailoring and Pressing

TAILORING AND ALTERATIONS: Suits to measure. John Theiss, 218 Lamine.

IV Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

THREE WAITRESSES WANTED: Must be experienced. Reed Drug Company.

GIRL WANTED—for general housework. Stay nights. Write Box 40, Care Democrat.

GIRL WANTED for general housework in modern country home. Stay nights. Write Box "26" care Democrat.

MIDDLE AGE WHITE WOMAN for general housework and ironing. Small family. Hours 8:30 to 2:30. Write Box 32 care Democrat.

WAITRESS WANTED: Experienced preferred. Good references. Deep Rock Cafe, Highway 65. Phone 3351-M before 3 p. m., 4272 after 3 p. m.

EXPERIENCED WHITE WOMAN wanted for general housework. Modern country home. References required. Write Box 37, care Democrat.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED: White, 40 to 60 years old. Farm. No laundry or outside work. Must have good references. Good home. Permanent if suitable. Adams Brothers, Knob Noster, Missouri.

EXPERIENCED TEACHERS
Personnel Director of nationally known corporation will interview teachers for summer positions that are different. This work appeals only to strong high type teachers who would not be interested in ordinary selling. State teaching experience, other qualifications, address and phone number in letter asking for interview. Write Box 34 care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

BUS BOY WANTED: White. Puckett's Cafe.

CARRIER BOYS WANTED: Phone 302 Kansas City Star. Harry Brougher Distributor.

MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Experienced. House, garden and cow furnished. Steady work. Phone 5121-M-4.

MAN WITH CAR WANTED for route work. $15 to $20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Steady. Write today. Mr. Sharp, 120 East Clark Street, Freeport, Illinois.

MARRIED MAN for farm work. House, garden and milk cow furnished. Must give good references and must have tractor experience. Farm located at Lone Elm store, 8 miles northeast Bunceton, Missouri. Hillard Niebrugge, Bunceton, Missouri.

33A—Salesmen Wanted

TWO SALESMEN WANTED: Travel in Missouri and Arkansas. Salary and commission. See J. T. Campbell, Terry Hotel.

UNEXPECTED CHANGE makes available fine Rawleigh Business in city of Sedalia. Splendid business secured in this district for many years. Exceptional opportunity for right man. Write Rawleigh's, Department MOC-452-201, Freeport, Illinois.

SIDE LINE OR FULL TIME: Season now on. Last year Robert Hall made $2,661.98 selling advertising specialties spare time. All business firms are buyers. Write today Harley J. Scott Company, Department M-3, Kansas City, Missouri.

SALESMAN
Expansion program of internationally known company (established 80 years) provides opening to sell extensive line maintenance paints, roof coatings (including aluminum), waterproofing, etc., direct from factory to mills, schools, factories, farmers, etc. Exclusive rights, liberal commissions paid weekly. Drawing account to producers. Age 30 to 60. Car necessary. Opportunity advancement to field manager. Write air mail to Lincoln Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland 6, Ohio.

DO YOU WANT A GOOD JOB
If you're 25-50, fair education, have car, some sales experience, want to be your own boss in an exclusive territory, earning $65-75 per week to start, working up to $8-10,000 selling business firms, write us about yourself. We have AAA-1 66 year old firm, highly successful; have only one vacancy and many established customers. We constantly instruct and assist you, equip you and start you at once.
The Kemper-Thomas Co. 10 pt. C. L. Norwood 12, Ohio, Box J.

INSURANCE AGENT WANTED
To collect and sell insurance
LIFE
HOSPITALIZATION
HEALTH AND ACCIDENT
Established debit. Sedalia only. Good salary and commission. Write Post Office Box "88" Sedalia, Missouri.

WELL ESTABLISHED LOCALLY OWNED FIRM WANTS A-1 SALESMAN
For inside and outside selling. Wonderful opportunity. Good salary and commission for right man. State name, age, address, telephone number and selling experience first letter.
All replies held in strictest confidence. Our men know of this ad.
Write Box 36 Care Democrat-Capital today.

34—Help—Male and Female

MAN AND WIFE for farm and house work. Electricity, good house. Harold Williams, Hughesville, Missouri.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABY SITTING OR SHUT-INS: Day or night. Phone 5471-W.

PRACTICAL NURSE: Experienced. Excellent references. Phone 1440.

WOMAN wants light housekeeping work, experienced. Stay nights. Phone 3989.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

TRASH HAULING WANTED: Phone 8578.

V Financial

38—Business Opportunities

TO LEASE: Or on commission, a garage, acetylene welding tools and machinery. Oney Deal, Shackelford, Missouri. Phone Blackburn 11-F-23.

COMPLETELY EQUIPPED RESTAURANT: Close-in on Highway, doing splendid business, also adjoining 5 room house, modern, full basement, built-ins, bath, shower, automatic hotwater, double garage. An unusual opportunity to secure a combination business and home. Price $15,000. See E. H. McLaughlin at Porter Real Estate Company. Exclusive Agent.

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4%, no commission. W. D. Smith

V Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages Continued:

I AM STILL MAKING CHOICE FARM LOANS
At 4% For Long Periods.
Now is the time to refinance. All indications point to a higher interest rate and shorter period of time.
W. D. SIMTH
Phone 647 307 Trust Bldg.
Sedalia, Missouri

WE LEND MONEY on Farm & City Property
Low Rates
Favorable Terms
Liberal Prepayment Privileges
NO INSPECTION FEE!
Porter Real Estate Co.
112 W. 4th Phone 284
(69th Year)

VI Instruction

44—Musical Dancing, Dramatic

FOR DANCE LESSONS
PHONE 2498
Tap, Toe, Acrobatic, Ballet, Baton Twirling
HARPER'S SCHOOL of DANCE

VII Livestock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

COCKER SPANIEL: Black. 1116 East 5th Street.

HAVE REGISTERED COCKER: Male, for stud purposes. Call 2442-W after 5 p. m.

PUREBRED ENGLISH SHEPHERD spaded female. Less than 2 years old. Real working dog. Reasonable. Fred Grabau, Cole Camp.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

MILK GOATS FOR SALE: Phone 4379.

BRED GILTS: Extra nice. Phone 5271-M-4.

SOW AND 10 PIGS—G. P. Braden, 1012 North Osage.

WORK HORSES AND MULES for sale. 2023 South Grand.

ONE REGISTERED YEARLING — Angus bull. Clay Curtis, LaMonte.

TEAM HORSES AND COLT: U. S. 50 and Route E. C. Hiltenburg.

GOOD FRESH MILK COWS, Alfalfa hay. Breakfast set. Scotten 5203-R-4.

TWO FRESH JERSEYS: Extra good butter cows. 1702 West Broadway.

FRESH MILK COWS and springer heifers. Frank Colbern. Phone 3094.

REGISTERED ANGUS BULL, 3 years old. Good. Phone 22-F-4, LaMonte.

REGISTERED HEREFORD BULLS and heifers. Olin Klein, Smithton, Mo.

PAIR GENTLE MULES: Five years. Harry Klein, Phone 1722 Otterville.

TEAM, HARNESS, WAGON—Also 12-inch walking plow. Phone 5194-R-2.

SIX YEAR OLD BLACK HORSE: Well broke. Carl Smith, LaMonte, Missouri.

WANTED: SOMEONE to break 3 year old draft horse for its work. Write Box 35 care Democrat.

TEAM MARE MULES, 4 year olds, broke. Also good harness. Earl Leaton, Otterville, Missouri.

YOUNG TEAM OF MARES: 5 and 6 years old. Ethel Weedin, LaMonte, Route 2. Six miles northwest.

TWO YOUNG DAIRY COWS: One fresh, Guernsey bull, 11 months old. See Sunday. B. McCarty, 25th and Marshall.

OLIVER 77—New. Never used. Oliver 70, newly overhauled, on rubber. Harold Stephens. Inquire Volrath's Garage, Dresden.

10 REGISTERED YEARLING Hereford bulls. Top quality and breeding. Dick Monsees, Route 5, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 5245-M-4.

VERY FINE BLOODED — six-year-old Kentucky saddle mare. Bay in color. Hard to handle. Needs expert horseman. Must sell today. Name your own price. Harold J. Hausam. Phone 5175-W-73.

49—Poultry and Supplies

FRYERS FOR SALE: Edna Broyles, 1802 South Summit.

LIVE AND DRESSED FRYERS, bakers, eggs. 1822 Ingram. Phone 3895.

BABY CHICKS: Hatched from the finest egg strains of Pettis County. A new hatch off every Monday. Custom hatching service. Conkey's Y. O. feeds. Brooders, fountains, feeders, brooding litter, etc. Write, Phone or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery. 202 West 4th Street. Phone 3076. Sedalia, Missouri.

U. S. APPROVED Pullorum controlled chicks. New Hampshire, Austra-White, White Rock, White Leghorn. AA grade, straight run $10.90 per 100. AAA grade $12.50. Heavy cockerels $10.90. Austra-White cockerels $7.90. Leghorn cockerels $3.90. 100% alive and quick delivery. Two hatches per week. Order direct. Stover Hatchery, Stover, Missouri.

FERGUSON EGG BRED CHICKS: Hatched from big eggs produced by select, blood tested breeders. Sexed or straight-run chicks. Eastern Hampshire and Hanson White Leghorns. $15 per hundred. White Rocks, White Wyandottes, Reds, per hundred $12.50. Three and four week old started chicks. Custom hatching 3c per egg. Come in, Call in or mail in order today. Ferguson Poultry Farm. Phone 270, Tipton, Missouri.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

TOP PRICES PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.

WANTED HORSES AND MULES: E. L. Busker, 2023 South Grand. Phone 3527-J.

VIII Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

TWO GOOD STOKERS, one 30 gallon automatic hot water tank. 112 East 6th.

MENAUGH'S ANTIQUES. Highway 65 South. Antiques bought and sold. Phone 383.

BRIGGS and STRATTON washing machine motor, 4 cycle air cooled. 601 East 10th.

INCUBATOR, typewriter, bicycle, mangle, watches, lamps and antiques. 2300 South Ohio.

USED OAK DESKS. Priced to sell. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building).

BASSINETT with pad, crib type. Bathinette. Taterhabe. All in excellent condition. 1016 East 9th.

VIII Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale Continued

DRY OAK WOOD: Also hedge posts. Phone 5176-M-2.

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

ALL STEEL FILING CABINETS, new. Three or four drawer letter or legal size. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building)

BICYCLE, Sewing Machines, Radiants, cabinets, trunks, rugs, clocks, office furniture, counters, shelving, doors, plumbing tools, paint, typewriters, saddles, plows, scales, Frigidaire, hospital bed, hemstitching machine. Sears 1207 Ingram. Phone 2926.

PAINT — OUTSIDE SNOW - WHITE TITANIUM lead and oil. Money-back guarantee not to peal, rub or wash off or turn yellow. $2.25 gal. in 5-gal. cans. Sample can 50c. Turpentine 85c gal. in 5's. Snow-White Paint Co., 1430 N. Dearborn, Chicago, Ill., 3545 Parkwood, Toledo, Ohio.

51B—Dead Animals

HIGHEST PRICES FOR
DEAD ANIMALS
"Removal in 2 hr's of call"
SEDALIA RENDERING CO. Inc
We Pay Phone Calls
Phone 5090 Res. Pho. 3908-J

52—Boats and Accessories

THOMPSON BOAT: 14 foot, newly painted and chalked. 422 North Grand. Phone 3520-J.

53—Building Materials

PINE AND OAK LUMBER Delivered. Any amount. Wills. Phone 3658-J

OAK, PINE LUMBER delivered. Furnell. 1941 East 6th. Phone 1383-W

54—Business and Office Equipment

STEEL UTILITY DESKS. With or without filing compartment attached. Priced to sell. See at Former Teen Town Building. 114 East 2nd Street.

SHOE REPAIR EQUIPMENT
Stitcher, patch machine, finisher, cash register, etc. Also findings. Will sacrifice due to accident.
Will sell any part or all.
1122 East Third

55-A—Farm Equipment

SURGE MILKING MACHINE: Two single units, nearly new. Phone 5205-J-3.

ONE MAN — McCormick International hay baler. Phone 19-F-12. Ernest Schupp.

CEMENT BLOCK MACHINE — Two horse disc, ladders, tools. Wilcox, Smithton.

8 FOOT DISC, sulky plow, electric hammer mill. Edward Direk, Hughesville, Missouri.

M. M. HAY LOADER: All steel. Good. $210.00. Cletis Allen, Windsor. Phone 13-F-25.

H FARMALL TRACTOR and cultivator for sale. Marion Houchen, Hughesville, Mo

DELCO LIGHT PLANT: 32 volt with batteries in good shape. Phone 24-F-13. Ernest Fredrick, LaMonte, Missouri.

IRON WHEEL WAGON AND BOX; six shovel cultivator, good shape. A. W. Walker, Beaman, Missouri. Phone 5180-M-2.

GRAIN BINS: Martin steel and aluminum. All sizes, reduced prices immediate delivery. Albert Mahnken, Farm Building and Supply, Route 1, Cole Camp, Missouri.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR COAL and good wood. High Point Service. Phone 4224

HICKORY AND OAK WOOD delivered. Any amount. Phone 1357-R.

LESPEDEZA HAY, Corn Planter. J. T. Long, Smithton, Phone 1321.

GOOD WINDSOR LUMP COAL: Delivered. Wallace McCown. Phone 4882-W.

LESPEDEZA AND TIMOTHY HAY: $12.50 and $15.00 a ton. Phone 3604 Syracuse, Missouri.

GOOD MIXED HAY, $17.00. Recleaned Clinton oats, $1.00. Herman Knipp, Tipton, Missouri. Phone 4002.

FOR COAL AND ICE
Missouri-Kansas-Illinois
GEORGE H. ROBESON
Phone 4798

57—Good Thing to Eat

POPCORN: The kind that pops. Bill Phillips. Phone 5138-R-2.

LOWREY'S CORN FED BEEF: By the quarter at Hughesville locker. Phone 37.

59—Household Goods

CHIFFEROBE—Secretary. 309 East 2nd.

WHITE ENAMEL COOK STOVE: 1019 East 3rd.

FOR SALE OR RENT — hospital bed. Phone 4030.

UPRIGHT PIANO, electric sweeper. Phone 2307-W.

GAS STOVE—Table top, apartment size, 30 inch. Bargain. 4745.

DINING ROOM SUITE: 8 piece. Walnut. Good. Cheap. 1009 East 6th.

KITCHEN CABINET, breakfast and dining sets. 400 West 5th. 1029.

CHOICE OF TWO electric refrigerators. Good, reasonable. 203 West 13th.

FURNITURE, icebboxes, tools. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. 4125. Open evenings.

FURNITURE, TOOLS: Bought, sold, traded. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. Phone 4125.

TWO PERFECTION kerosene ranges. Practically new. Burkholder's, 2nd and Ohio.

FOUR VENETIAN BLINDS for double windows. Cheap. Phone 2193 evenings.

WASHING MACHINE—Gas range, table top. Both just like new. 1121 East 13th.

ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR. $95. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

MONITOR WASHINGTON MACHINE—Apartment size, good condition. $20. Phone 5556-J.

ONE DUNCAN PHYFE dining room suite. One Conlon ironer. Like new. 1320 East 13th.

SIMMON SPRINGS AND MATTRESS—Excellent condition. Reasonable. Call 510 or 4445-R.

COMBINATION CHINA BUFFET. Lawn mower, radio, electric sweeper. Phone 2659. 647 East 15th.

VENETIAN BLINDS. Quick delivery, installation free. Callies Furniture Company. 203 West Main. Phone 412.

HOLLAND COAL FURNACE: Size number 22. Electric thermostat control. Extra good condition. Priced to sell. Call 3153.

WE BUY, SELL AND TRADE: 1218 South Engineer. J. B. Shull Used Furniture Store. All merchandise satisfactory.

USED WASHERS $35—New and used sweepers, radios. Easy payments. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

VENETIAN BLINDS: Quality blinds, expertly installed. Small down payment, balance monthly. The Blindman. Phone 768 or 5440-R.

PORTABLE SEWING MACHINE: Electric. With attachments, including blottenholer. Like new, used very little. Terms if desired. 804 West 16th, Sunday.

VIII Merchandise

59—Household Goods Continued:

GAS RANGE, good condition. 1026 South Osage.

59B—Furniture For Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

60—Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds

RAILROAD WATCH: (Standard). Fine condition. Reasonable. Mrs. Alspach. Phone 3683.

62—Musical Merchandise

UPRIGHT PIANO: In good condition. Phone 4240-R.

BEAUTIFUL blonde Admiral Console radio and phonograph. Used as demonstrator. Call 815, 5023-W. 2230 West 3rd.

SPINET PIANO: We have an almost new Spinet in this vicinity (cost over $700.00). We will turn over to parties with good credit willing to assume monthly payments of $23.95 for balance due. Write Auditor, Gribble Corporation, 919 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Admiral Combination RADIO
Complete with table.
$40.00
804 W. 3rd St. Phone 2257-J
7 to 9 a.m. 7 to 9:30 p.m.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

LESPEDEZA RECLEANED $6.00. Columbian seed oats, feed wheat. Phone 5198-M-2.

RECLEANED ALSIKE CLOVER: $17.50 per bushel. Carl C. Siegel, Florence, Missouri. Phone Otterville 3520.

CLINTON OATS: Grown from certified seed. State tested 94. Fred Harsh, 3 miles northeast Smithton. Phone 1511.

SEED OATS: Ames number two, $1.25 bushel. Red Clover seed clean, 45c pound. R. A. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage. Phone 2993.

PRAIRIE AND LESPEDEZA HAY by ton or bale. Lespedeza seed. Seed potatoes, Certified. Cobblers and Pontiacs. Thurman Fruit Market. 302 East 16th. Phone 2950.

65—Wearing Apparel

GOOD SUITS and overcoats, cheap, good condition. Holmes Cleaners.

TWO GOOD SPRING COATS: Size 16. Reasonable. Phone 1719-W.

GOOD COATS AND DRESSES: Cheap. Size 14. 1218 East 12th.

LADIES SPRING COAT: Attractive, like new, all wool. $10. 753-W.

BOY'S CLOTHES: Size 12 and 13. Palm Beach suit. Practically new shoes and suits. Wool trousers, corduroys, dungarees, overcoat, helmet, raincoat and helmet, overshoes, tennis shoes, sweaters, etc. Phone 1982-W.

66—Wanted—To Buy

DOLLS OR DOLL HEADS—at least 50 years old, 1862.

LARGE PRINT BIBLE WANTED: 1105 East 3rd. A. G. Collins.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID for good used furniture. Callies Furniture Company.

IX Rooms and Board

67—Rooms with Board

ROOM AND BOARD. 400 East 2nd. Phone 2467-J.

AGED PENSIONERS: Room and board. 408 East 2nd.

OLD AGE PENSIONERS—for room and board or invalids. 524 East 5th. Phone 2415-J.

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM: 521 East 10th. Phone 4432-W.

ONE LARGE SLEEPING ROOM: Call 1953-J.

LARGE FRONT ROOM: Modern. Private bath. 410 West 7th. 3181.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM. 1005 South Missouri. Phone 4778-M.

SLEEPING ROOM. Kitchen privileges, employed lady. 218 West 7th. 3791-W.

BEDROOM: Private bath, garage. 512 West Broadway. Phone 2278 evenings.

SLEEPING ROOM, automatic hot water heater, clothes closet. 511 West 2nd.

SLEEPING ROOM and living room. Private bath, telephone. Two men or couple. 618 West 6th. Phone 1735-R.

72—Where to Stop in Town

$5.00 PER WEEK
MILNER HOTEL
201 East 2nd St. Phone 210

X Real Estate for Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

BEDROOM IN MODERN HOME: Kitchen privileges. Phone 958.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Upstairs. 1314 South Kentucky.

FIVE ROOM APARTMENT: Furnished. Adults. No pets. Call 4027.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Furnished. No children. 1506 South Quincy.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment. Utilities paid. Adults. 1526 East 4th.

LIVING ROOM, BEDROOM, bath adjoining and kitchen privileges. 804 West 4th.

BEDROOM, KITCHENETTE apartment. Adults only. 919 South Osage. Phone 288.

THREE ROOM APARTMENT—Furnished. 510½ South Engineer. Call 5151-M-4.

ONE ROOM APARTMENT: Utilities newly decorated. Reasonable. 411 East 3rd.

THREE ROOM APARTMENT: Furnished. Modern. Middle-age couple preferred. Phone 2056.

TWO LOVELY SLEEPING ROOMS: Kitchen privilege optional. Employed ladies. 112 East 6th.

SMALL FURNISHED APARTMENT — Private entrance, bath, employed couple, 2278 evenings.

THREE ROOM furnished apartment. Modern. Hardwood floors. Nicely furnished. Adults. 709 West 5th.

SLEEPING ROOM, FIRST FLOOR: Front. Kitchen privileges, home comforts. Employed lady preferred. Phone 3509-W.

THREE ROOM APARTMENT: Partly furnished. Nice. Two employed women. Inquire Dr. Parson, Dentist, Ilgenfritz Building.

THREE ROOM MODERN furnished apartment, private bath, all utilities paid. $60. a month. No children or pets. Phone 1719-W.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED — apartment, modern, utilities

XI. Real Estate for Sale

36—Houses for Sale Continued:

FOUR ROOM HOUSE: Modern. Reasonable. 919 West 5th. Phone 4773-W.

SIX ROOM HOUSE: Lights and water. $5500.00. Phone 3463-J after 5 p. m.

EIGHT ROOMS: Two baths. $5,000. 516 East 5th. Phone 4137-W after 5 p. m.

NEW FIVE ROOM EFFICIENCY: Small down payment, balance on G. I. loan, $25 monthly. 1803 East 6th.

FIVE ROOMS: Modern, full basement, 3 blocks from Ohio street. Owner, 10205 East 9th, Kansas City 3, Missouri. Phone IN 0458.

PARKSIDE HOME FOR SALE
Thoroughly modern. Ready to occupy. Liberal FHA loan terms. Small down payment will handle. Monthly payments like rent. Investigate this one before you buy.
Mid-State Building Company,
Dan Robinson Nash Garage
Phone 3583

FOR SALE
DOW MODERN HOME
421 East 5th St.
Now converted in upper and lower apartments.
This house can be bought worth the money now.
Liberal terms if desired
CALL OWNER 736

39—Wanted—Real Estate

WE HAVE CASH PROSPECTS FOR HOMES IN SEDALIA. LIST WITH US FOR RESULTS. STEPHENSON REAL ESTATE, 102 EAST 5TH. PHONE 479.

PROSPECTIVE BUYERS from all parts of the country. Heavy volume of inquiries for Central Missouri farms. Must have many and all kinds to offer them. Talk over listing your place if you want to sell. A card or letter will bring us to see you. D. F. Wasson, Strout Realty, LaMonte, Mo.

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Sharp Saws
Have your saws filed and jointed by machine. Mechanically ground. Saws set true, cleaner, faster. Quicker service—you'll like our work.
FRANK TWENTER
1423 So. Kentucky

Lodge Notices

Attention All DeMolay

There will be a regular meeting Wednesday 30, 1949. All members and officers must be there, as this is an important meeting.
Chas. Rayl M. C.
W. L. Matthews Scribe

Masonic Notice

Granite Lodge No. 272 A. F. & A. M. will meet in Special Communication Monday March 28th at 7:30 p. m. Work in the Fellow Craft Degree, all Fellow Crafts are invited to attend.
H. E. Richardson, W. M.
J. R. Smetana, Sec'y.

Masonic Notice

Granite Lodge No. 272 A. F. & A. M. will meet in Special Communication Monday March 28th at 12:30 p. m. to give Masonic burial to Bro. John A. Johnson, of Hermitage Lodge No. 288 of Hermitage Mo., by request of their Lodge. A good attendance is desired. Lets make a good showing for this Lodge. Funeral at 1:00 p. m. at Gillespie funeral home.
H. E. Richardson, W. M.
J. R. Smetana Sec'y.

I.O.O.F. lodge No. 155 will exemplify the 2nd degree Tuesday, March 29th at 7:30 p. m. Also refreshments. All members are expected to attend. Visiting members always welcome.
John Miller, N. G.
M. M. Silsby, F. S.

HOUSES

5 Rooms, bath, 2 lots	$ 4,000
6 Rooms, bath, close in	3,800
4 Rooms, new, possession	2,600
5 Rooms, modern, Southwest	7,500
5 Rooms, modern, Southwest	7,400
6 Rooms, modern, 4 lots	9,750
6 Rooms, modern, large grounds	10,000
Brick Apartment, Bldg., close in, 6 apartments of 5 rooms each	27,500

FARMS

10 Acres, 4 room house, electricity	$ 5,100
57 Acres, 5 room house	3,000
40 Acres, 3 rooms, good location	2,950
80 Acres, 5 room house, plenty of water	6,500
250 Acres, north of Sedalia, good house and barn	11,100
320 Acres, good land, fine improvements	40,000
389 Acres, 1 mile of good town, unimproved, $85 per acre	

See E. H. McLaughlin, Salesman
Porter Real Estate Co.
(69th Year)
112 W 4th St. Phone 254

GOOD BUYS IN HOMES
5 Rooms, lights, water, $2,000.
5 Rooms, modern east, $2000 down, $22.50 monthly.
6 Rooms, full basement, $9,500.
3 Rooms, S. W., $6,500.
6 Rooms modern $8,000.
6 Rooms, modern $1,300 down.
6 Rooms, W. 7th $7,500.
6 Rooms, new S. W. $8,000.
2 Rooms, Dal-Wha-Mo, $12,000.
6 Rooms, S. W., $7,500.
3 Bedrooms $1300 down.

APARTMENTS
Duplex, W. Broadway $10,500.
4 Apartments, brings $185 monthly, $12,500.
8 Rooms, brings $150 monthly, plus 4 room apartment for owner, $13,000.
11 Rooms, garage, 2 apartments. $150 monthly $13,000.

ACREAGES
10 Acres, 1½ mile from Sedalia, 4 room house $6,750.
10 Acres, edge of town, 4 room house, $5,500.
20 Acres, 5 room house, $4,250. Have a large selection of farms and businesses in and around Sedalia.

Stephenson Real Estate & Ins. Co.
103 E 5th St. Phone 479

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123 E. 3rd St. Phone 300
U. S. Air Corps-Type
Swiss Wrist Watches
- Sweep Second Hand
- Unbreakable Crystal
- Luminous Dial
- Precision Made by Swiss Craftsmen
- Guaranteed 1 Year

$4.99
Plus 10% Fed. Tax

17 Jewel Air Corps
WRIST WATCH
- Water-Resistant
- Shock-Resistant
- Anti-Magnetic
- $39.95 Value
- Guaranteed 1 Year

$19.95
Plus 10% Fed. Tax

Missouri Pacific Shop Notes

D. McIntyre, general supervisor air brakes for the Missouri Pacific, was at the local shops Saturday.

A. L. Kelly, electrical engineer for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis, was at the local shops last week. He was accompanied by L. E. Murney, electrical inspector for the Missouri Pacific.

J. P. Maroney, machinist, was a business visitor at the company hospital in St. Louis Saturday.

Frank Pabst, machinist, last week entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical treatment.

Frank Piper, machinist, has been off duty the past month because of sickness. He is getting along satisfactorily but will not return to work for several weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Ellsworth, wife of clerk in the general foreman's office at the local shops, and daughter, Miss Bettye Yvonne, were visitors in Kansas City Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Pringle, wife of retired erecting foreman at the local shops, and son, were visitors in Kansas City Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Gregory, wife of employe in the reclaim plant, is spending the week-end visiting their daughter and husband in Kansas City.

Missouri Pacific locomotives returned to service last week at the local shops after receiving class 5 repairs was the 2214. The 1305 received class 3 repairs as well as the 117 which was taken out for break-in Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Crouch were business visitors in Kansas City last week. Mr. Crouch is a mechinist helper apprentice at the local shops.

J. C. Saunders, carman welder, is confined to his home because of serious illness.

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

M. Doherty, veteran cattle feeder of the Green Ridge vicinity, sold to T. L. Elbert, of Windsor, four carloads of fine cattle that brought $6.25 per hundred pounds.

Carl P. Werner, of this city, has been awarded the contract for paving of one of Kirksville's principal streets, the work to entail an expenditure of between $42,000 and $50,000.

Rev. Grant A. Robbins, recently of Maryville, who succeeded the Rev. S. S. Martin as pastor of the First Methodist church, has leased a residence at Third street and Vermont avenue.

Saturday, according to M. J. McGraw, master mechanic at the Missouri Pacific shops, 1,160 men were employed there. He states during the past month thirty-five engines were repaired and overhauled.

Social Events

A farewell party was given Monday evening at the Old Missouri Homestead in honor of Mrs. of Mrs. Thomas K. Shaffer and Mrs. Tom Foster who have resigned from the Bothwell hospital nursing staff. Mrs. Shaffer will join her husband in Maryville, Kas., April 1. Mrs. Foster will continue to reside in Sedalia.

A gift was presented to each of the honor guests from the Sedalia graduate nurses and Mrs. Mary Dilthey, laboratory technician.

Those attending were: Mrs. Tom Foster, Mrs. Thomas K. Shaffer, Mrs. Gordon Potter, Mrs. C. Gordon Stauffacher, Mrs. Herbert Berlin, Mrs. Eldon DeMott, Mrs. Frank C. Royce, Mrs. William Wright, Mrs. Herbert Emo, Mrs. Glen Browning, Mrs. Ann Bunch, Mrs. Mary Dilthey, Miss Margaret Collins, Miss Cleo Hartnett, Miss Nora Mae Thompson and Miss Margaret O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Lingle will observe their 50th wedding anniversary, Sunday at their home 614 East Eleventh street, by a dinner for immediate relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lingle were married in Morgan county on March 28, 1899 and moved to Sedalia in the winter of 1931 to make their home here.

The members of the family that will be present are: Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Talbott and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hutchison and children, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown and children, all of Versailles; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Lingle and children of Fort Leonard Wood, and Miss Mildred Lingle of the home.

Mrs. F. C. Richards, who is the guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Conn, 820 West Third Street, celebrated her 86th birthday at their home last week. She was presented with a birthday cake. Mr. and Mrs. Russel R. Conn, Jr., and son were also guests.

The annual conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at the Robidoux hotel in St. Joseph starting with a banquet in the Oak Room of the hotel Monday evening. St. Joseph is the home of the state regent, Mrs. William Boyd.

Members of the Osage Chapter, D.A.R., of Sedalia, who will attend will be Mrs. A. L. Walter, regent of the Osage chapter, Mrs. F. S. Leach, president of the State Officers Club of Missouri, D. A. R., Miss Nina Harris, corresponding secretary of the State Officers Club, Miss Maurine Harris, Mrs. C. F. Scotten, Mrs. Leonard McClure and Miss Lelia Shortridge. The Sedalia group will be accompanied by Mrs. Hall of Marshall. They will leave Sedalia Monday morning by car.

Music for the occasion has been arranged by the Ladies Ensemble of the St. Joseph Choral Club which is directed by Dr. Albert Johnson, of Kansas City, who also directs the Queen City Chorale. The Choral Club presenting the program is composed of 15 women.

The annual meeting of the State Officers Club will begin at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Blue Room of the hotel and the breakfast will be Wednesday morning.

The opening meeting of the D. A. R. will be Monday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Crystal Room of the hotel.

Many interesting exents and social activities have been planned for the conference.

The Daughters of 1812 will hold an annual meeting in St. Joseph just preceding the D. A. R. meeting and the Daughters of American Colonists will meet immediate following, bringing members from the three groups to the same place at the same time.

A number of the national officers of the D. A. R. will be in St. Joseph for the annual meeting.

Community News from

Knob Noster

Mrs. Russell Kendrick

The fourth session of a home nursing course which is being taught by Miss Mary Weld of Warrensburg, the county health nurse, was held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Teague Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Harold Helms spent Saturday night and Sunday in Kansas City with their son Don Helms and family. Mr. Helms returned home Sunday night. Mrs. Helms remained until Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman of Knob Noster and their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Barrett of Ferguson attended the funeral services of Mrs. Peithman's cousin, Mrs. Charles Bard, at the McLaughlin's funeral home in Sedalia Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peithman and Mrs. Barrett were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Peithman's sister, Mrs. Ella Peithman in Sedalia.

Miss Mary Rutledge, a student at Christian College in Columbia, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. George Gillum, and her aunt, Mrs. Earl Wampler, and Mr. Wampler, between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelly, Jr., of Kansas City, spent the week end here with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ray Kelly, southeast of town, and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Lay.

Miss Eleanor Grove, of Kansas City, spent from Friday until Monday morning with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Grove and family.

Mrs. Halberg of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. August Artus, and Mr. Artus.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schlusing were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Schlusing's son Glyndon "Bud" House and Mrs. House in Warrensburg in honor of the birthday of Mr. Schlusing, which was Monday, March 21. Mr. and Mrs. Schlusing gave a chinker check party at their home on Monday night to celebrate Mr. Schlusing's birthday. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Stahlhut and Mr. and Mrs. James Rowland. The hostess served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carr and Mrs. Ina Richeson and daughter, Sue, spent Tuesday in Kansas City.

The following from Knob Noster attended a meeting of the E. O. C. Chapter in Sedalia Tuesday night when Mrs. C. F. Covey of Knob Noster, district deputy grand matron of the 36th district made her official visit to the Sedalia chapter: Mr. and Mrs. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neitzert, Mr. and Mrs. James Greer, Mrs. H. C. Schlusing, Mrs. Adda Benson, Mrs. Margaret Hocker, Mrs. Helen Davis, Mrs. J. W. Sibert, Mrs. R. W. Dawes, Mrs. Raymond Baker, Mrs. J. L. Woody, Miss Mary V. Hogan and Miss Mabelle Jenks.

Mrs. Larry Matthews entertained her bridge club at her home south of town Wednesday. A dessert course was served. Members present were: Mrs. Jack Saults, Mrs. Milton S. Kendrick, Mrs. Wallace Wimer, Mrs. Kenneth Sibert, Mrs. Elmer Rehkop, Mrs. Ina Richeson and Mrs. Russell Kendrick. Guests were: Mrs. C. C. Covey, Mrs. Raymond Baker, Mrs. Charles Rhodes and Mrs. Guy Cook. Mrs. Wimer, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Saults and Mrs. Sibert received awards.

Talent Quest Winners



Louis Greife, left, and Scott Sappington, right, of Windsor, the "Twenty Fingers of Rhythm" novelty piano duo, who won the "Talent Quest Final" at the Fox theatre Thursday night and will go to Springfield Monday night to compete in the regional contest. The two men, who have been playing the piano together since childhood, play by ear. The contest will be held at the Gilloz theatre, Springfield, and will be broadcast over station KGBX Monday night. The winners in the Sedalia contest will compete with the winners from Boonville, Lexington, Elcelsior Springs, Marshall, Council Bluffs, Ia., and Springfield. (Photo by Lehmer)

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Gentleman RECENTLY RECEIVED A GIFT Of Some VERY NICE Food Stuffs FROM A Far Off City AND IN The Box WAS A Nicely PRINTED CARD NAMING A Firm In THE SOUTH WHICH FIRM The SEDALIAN KNEW WAS ONE His Son WAS VERY Close To SO HE WRITES The MANAGER OF The Firm A NICE Letter THANKING HIM FOR THE Gift THEN HE Writes HIS SON TELLING HIM How Nice HIS FRIENDS Were TO SEND The Gift THEN HE GETS A Letter FROM THE Son TELLING HIM HE'S THE One WHO SENT The Gift HE USED The STATIONERY OF THE Firm IN THE SOUTH TO PLACE The Order AND THEY Gave CREDIT TO The Company OF COURSE There WAS NO Harm Done EXCEPT THE MANAGER Of The FIRM IN The South PROBABLY WONDERS WHAT THE Sedalian IS THANKING Him For I THANK YOU

Airplane Equipment Found in Field

A U. S. Army signal corps radiosonde transmitter was found in a field on the farm of C. G. Schlobohm, of Route 2, LaMonte, on Thursday afternoon. The farm is located between LaMonte and Green Ridge.

The transmitter, with a parachute and broken balloon attached, is one of the type used in observation of weather and atmospheric conditions. It will be turned over to the National Guard at the Armory.

Honor Awarded Robt. Zoernig

Robert J. Zoernig, of Sacred Heart high school, Sedalia, was winner of one of the ten honorable mentions awarded by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Missouri State Medical Association in an essay contest, the winners of which were announced March 28. Ten honorable mentions and five awards of bonds are made in the contest, which this year was on the subject of "Private Practice Versus Socialized Medicine." Other winners of awards or honorable mentions are from Sikeston, Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield and Fulton.

This is the fourteenth year in which the Auxiliary has conducted an essay contest and, according to Mrs. Frank B. Leitz, chairman of the essay contest, more essays were submitted this year than in any previous year.

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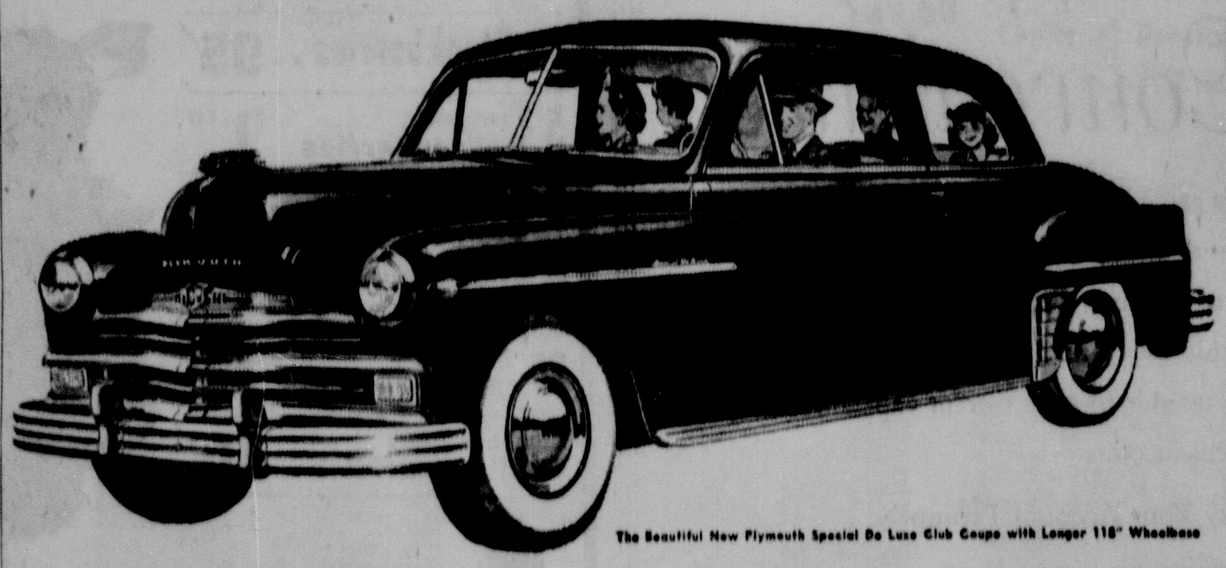
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If seeds are sown thinly, so that the plants can grow to garden size before being transplanted, time will be gained, since they will grow faster if not subjected twice to the shock of being moved. When the little plants are two or three inches high, carry the box directly to the place where they are to be set out. This will enable you to lift and set them in the garden soil with the least possible disturbance of their roots.

Babe in Armor



It takes a metalsmith, not a seamstress, to fit Christy Wold, of Hollywood, Calif., for her new swim suit—a strapless job of gleaming metallic brocade. Designed by Rose Marie Reid, the costume is guaranteed to survive dunking without tarnish or rust.

Has Needle in Body 30 Years

SYDNEY, Australia —(AP)— An Australian woman has had a needle pass through her heart without any ill-effect. She is Mrs. S. Watson, of Colac East, Victoria, who recently had a needle taken from her thigh by Dr. F. L. Nance. The needle entered Mrs. Watson's finger 30 years ago when she was putting on a coat. Poultices relieved the pain and she forgot about it. She recalls now having experienced occasional sharp pains in various parts of her body. Dr. Nance said it was extraordinary that Mrs. Watson had lived.

Club Talk on Rural School Situation

The Shackleford club met March 21 with Mrs. Junior Nichols, with fifteen members present and a number of visitors, each answering the roll call with a favorite scripture verse.

Two songs were sung, "The Song of Peace" and "The Little Brown Church in the Vale," by the entire group. A chapter from the Bible was read by Mrs. Orville Cornine and all repeated the Lord's prayer. Mrs. Franklin Taylor made an interesting talk on rural school situation. Following the meeting a shower was given for Mrs. Junior Nichols.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Gilbert Raines.

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LaMonte Club Has Program

The LaMonte Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Perkins, March 18th. The president, Mrs. Emmett Brown, presided with the usual routine of business. Mrs. E. P. Burke acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Ruth Lambert. Mrs. C. E. Carroll gave a demonstration on "food" before dinner and served three dishes at the noon meal. Mrs. E. P. Burke gave the devotional, "A Solution to the problems of Life."

The following members answered roll call, Mrs. C. A. De Haven, Mrs. P. C. Reed, Mrs. Andy Berry, Mrs. Everett Wing, Mrs. Ralph Hollenbeck, Mrs. George Swope, Mrs. Joe Scott, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Mothershed, Mrs. Cecil Adams, Mrs. Ed Gregory, Mrs. Ed Mussy, Mrs. Leonard Reavis, Mrs. Emmett Brown, Mrs. Marge Ellis, Mrs. J. E. Noland, Mrs. Glenn Wellman, Mrs. C. E. Carroll, Mrs. Arthur Perkins, Mrs. E. P. Burke. Mrs. C. E. Carroll finished the food demonstration after dinner and gave instructions in regard to opening canned vegetables, meats and fruits, also gave out leaflets containing recipes.

Mrs. Mothershed was program leader for the afternoon, her subject was gardening. Some told what kind of seed to plant, their cultivation, what kind of fertilizer to use, and how to polinate tomatoes. She interspersed her subjects with poems and closed with a poem. Mrs. Everette Wing organized a 4-H Club Thursday with 20 members, boys and girls. Any child is eligible for membership at 10 years of age. The game and song leader, Mrs. P. C. Reed gave a St. Patrick's day program including the history of St. Patrick's life. Irish songs were sung and games were played.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Joe Patton April 15th.

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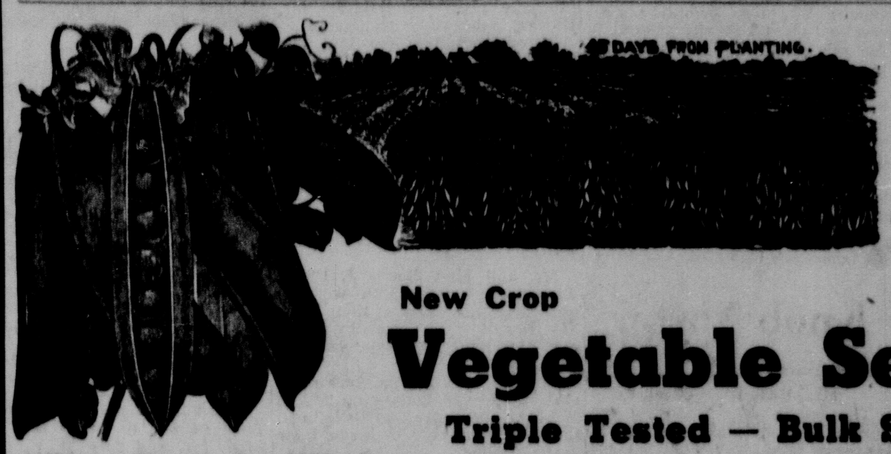
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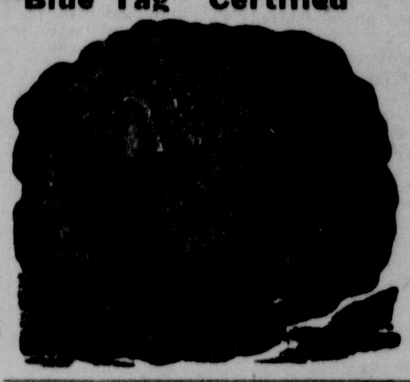


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Nips With Missouri Accent Wait a Word From Congress



David B. Carpenter and his Japanese wife show son Gary pictures of his twin half sisters. The Carpenters are in Seattle; the twins are in Japan, waiting for action by Congress.

By Fred Zavattero
NEA Staff Correspondent

SEATTLE—(NEA)—Two little Japanese girls who speak Japanese with a Missouri accent are waiting patiently in Japan for Congress to pass House Resolution 2084.

The bill, if it is passed, will allow them to join their mother and stepfather in Seattle. Their 18-month-old half brother is also waiting to greet them.

Teiko and Yoshiko, four-year-old Japanese twins, were little more than a year old when their mother, Yoshi Higo, married David B. Carpenter in Tokyo, and they learned their middle-western Japanese from him. The Navy taught Carpenter to speak Japanese while he was naval intelligence officer, but he never lost his Missouri drawl.

Carpenter, a sociology instructor at the University of Washington and former St. Louis resident, has been trying since 1947 to have his step-daughters admitted to this country. Under the War Brides Act, he was able to bring home only his wife. Immigration laws prohibit the children's entry except by an act of Congress. That takes time.

"The girls," Carpenter explained, "never knew their real father, a Japanese naval officer. Yoshi divorced him, and he later died in China. I feel toward the twins just as I do toward our son, Gary."

The Carpenters have very nearly strangled in red tape, but they have never given up.

Last year the bill died before any action could be taken. A new bill was introduced this year, and the Carpenters hope the 81st Congress will do something for two little Japanese girls who speak English (and Japanese, too) with an accent the man in the White House would recognize.

Ask U. S. to Lead Garden Drive to Clean-up Nation

NATIONAL HOME GARDEN PROGRAM

A national conference of garden leaders in Washington, D. C., called for a long-time program of urban, suburban and rural home gardens, under the leadership of the U. S. department of agriculture. Experience has shown, it was declared, that home gardens can:

Help feed the family better, with protective foods.

Help feed the family economically.

Give healthful recreation.

Furnish valuable educational and esthetic interests for youth and adult.

Stimulate all-year use of fruits and vegetables.

Help feed the nation in time of emergency.

Improve community surroundings and develop better community life.

Garden leaders who conferred in Washington, D. C., Jan. 10 and 11 at the call of the U. S. department of agriculture, warned that the United States is losing ground in the battle against ugliness in home and community surroundings.

"Smouldering garbage dumps too often welcome the visitor to both metropolis and rural village," said resolutions adopted by the conference. "The village green of song and story is often a neglected waste. Many of our highway rights of way are garlanded with discarded tin cans. Good housekeeping of our home grounds and community surroundings is urgently needed to prevent the growth of new urban and rural slums.

"Unless public consciousness is aroused to the danger of this deterioration in civic standards, we believe it will have social consequences far more costly than the expense of correcting it now."

As remedies, the conference called for a long-term program of home gardening both for food production and home grounds improvement; and for active steps by all communities to clean-up and improve public areas.

The U. S. department of agriculture was called upon to assume leadership in this program in urban and suburban as well as rural localities. Department activities are at present confined by law to rural areas, and no federal funds are available for the employment of extension workers in towns and cities. The conference urged that "cities be encouraged to support, wholly or in large part, the services of urban extension agents trained in horticulture."

In some states a beginning has been made in this direction. A horticultural agent has been authorized for Detroit, Mich., supported by the state and county. In Greater New York, horticultural agents for each of the boroughs may soon be employed.

Work with young people of towns and cities, comparable to that in rural areas by 4-H clubs which is conducted by agricultural extension service, was recommended by the conference.

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With arms upraised in characteristic gesture, this lifelike statue of Mahatma Gandhi, father of Indian independence, is near completion in London. The work of British sculptor Atri Brown, it will be cast in bronze.

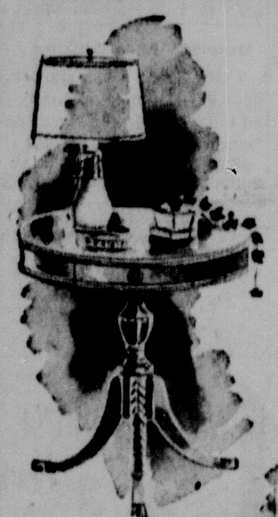
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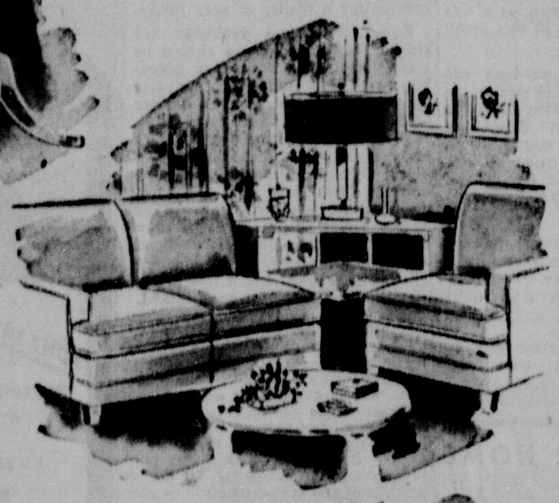
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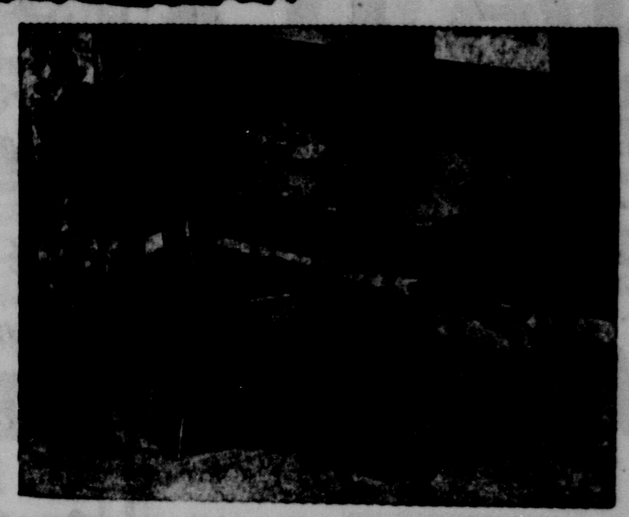
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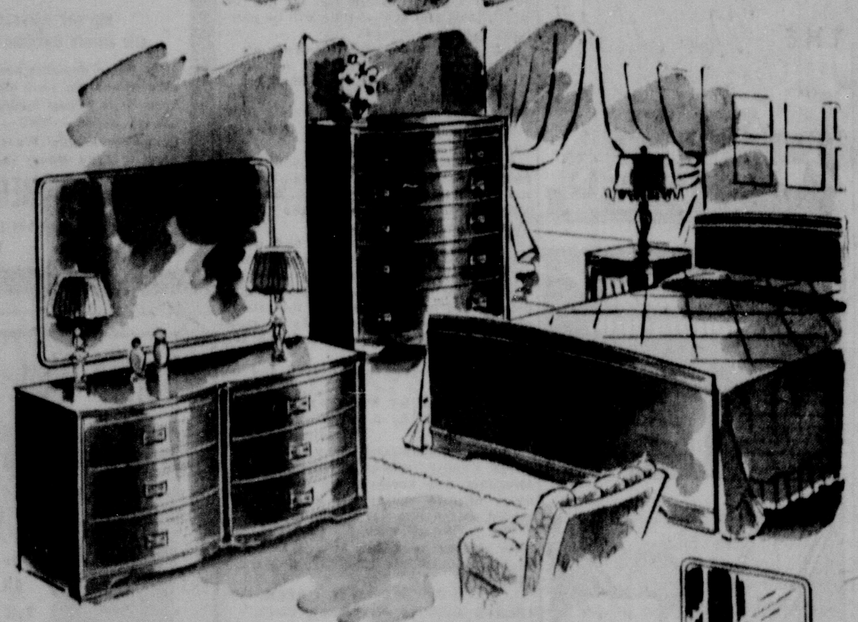
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The proposed work consists of: Clearing trees and brush, grading, surface gravel, drainage pipe.

All proposals must be on forms provided by the County Court for that purpose.

Plans, specifications, maps, and other contract documents may be examined at the office of the County Clerk, Sedalia Missouri, or at the office of the county highway engineer.

Plans, maps, specifications and other contract documents, and the proposal form may be secured from the office of the engineer upon deposit of $5.00, which deposit will be returned upon the return of all such contract documents in good condition, within 5 days after date set for receipt of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

COUNTY COURT PETTIS COUNTY,
By J. V. Kesterson,
Presiding Judge.

"I, the undersigned county clerk of Pettis County, hereby certify that the foregoing was approved by the county court of said county by an order of record on the 10th day of March, 1949.

"In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said county this 10th day of March, 1949.

J. H. GREEN,
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3-13, 3-20, 3-27

Side Glances — *By Galbraith*



"Since you didn't get a vest with that suit, dear, I bought you this briefcase!"

Gay Ninety Gardens Back But with a Difference



Differing from parterre planting of the nineties, modern dooryard gardens emphasize beauty of the flowers, and not a pattern.

Back in the days when women wore bustles, flowers in front yards were in fashion. Now that bustles are coming back, door-yard gardens are returning, but with a difference from the fashion followed in the nineties.

Then, flowers were used to work out elaborate designs in beds of geometric shapes. This was an ancient fashion, dating back to the middle ages, known as parterre work. The beauty of the parterre was in its pattern, with the flowers used only to supply the color which developed it. Few examples of this method are now seen in this country.

Modern door-yard gardens are as simple as possible in design, in order to center attention upon the beauty of the flowers. These are grouped in masses of one color, so arranged that each mass harmonizes with and sets off the others, and all provide a pleasing decoration for the house.

For these beds, annual flowers of low, compact growth are most suitable subjects. They will flower without ceasing from July until freezing weather, even in the northern states, and are easily grown from seed, when started early under protection, or in the garden itself as soon as the weather permits.

The garden illustrated is a simple arrangement of border plantings for a small house where the walk leads from the private driveway to the front door. Both house and lot will be made to seem larger by this arrangement. Bright red, or pink salvias, and the clear vivid red, pink, blue and buff verbenas will provide a brilliant decoration for a white, or grey house.

Both salvia and verbenas are slow growing, and seed should be started early in a hot-bed or greenhouse, so that plants of good size can be set out as soon as danger of frost is over. If seed is sown directly in the garden, flowers may be delayed two or three weeks. Sweet alyssum, however, will grow quickly from seed and either a dwarf white variety, or the dark purple Violet Queen Alyssum may be used. If the plants are sheared when they grow too tall, flowers will be increased, and a low growing border constantly maintained.

AP Newsfeatures

For California the patio is as important as the living room, and this California style of blending the outdoors with the indoors has spread over the country. In this plan 4625 by Herman York, architect, 199-33 Keno Ave., Hollis 7, N. Y., a living room wall of windows looks out through a covered porch and across a secluded patio with small agrden pool. The house covers 1882 square feet, including porch, but excluding garage.

Denmark Joins Alliance

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Mar. 25—(AP)—Denmark formally decided today to join the North Atlantic Defense Alliance.

Foreign Minister Gustav Rasmussen handed Edward J. Sparks, the U. S. Charge D'Affaires in Copenhagen, a note saying that Denmark accepted an invitation to link up with the United States, Canada, Britain, France, Norway, Italy, the Netherlands, Belgium and Luxembourg in the defense grouping.

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The proposed work consists of: Brush clearing, grading, surface gravel, drainage pipe, wood floor for 14'x80' bridge.

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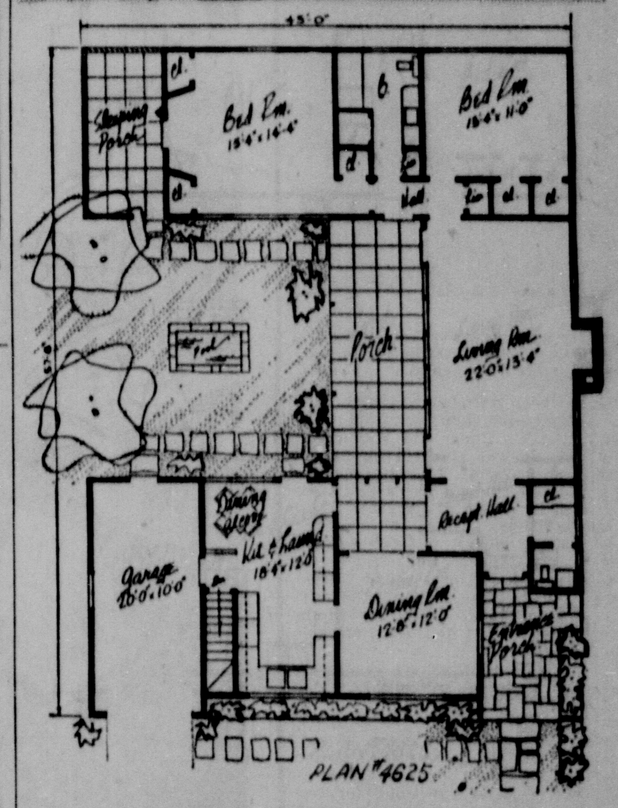
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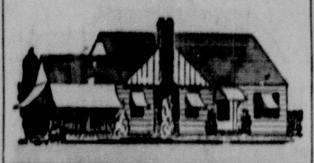
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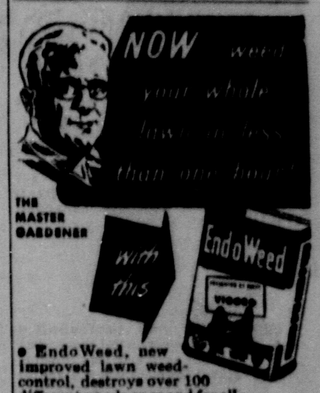
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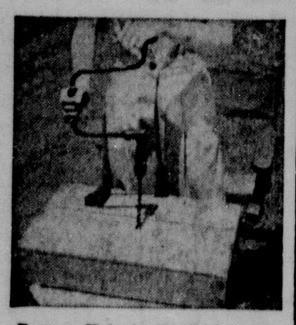


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Wick Lifts Water From Pan Below to Soil Above.

When seeds are started in a seed-box, either indoors or out, an abundant and continuous supply of water is vital to their progress. This has been demonstrated by several years of scientific research. Methods of insuring an optimum water supply have been worked out which are now widely used in commercial greenhouses throughout the country.

For amateur gardeners, several methods of automatic watering have been tested, and Dr. Kenneth Post, of Cornell university, who took a prominent part in the research in this field, says the best is wick-watering, by which moisture is supplied the soil in the seed-box from a pan below, lifted by a wick, just as oil is fed to a lamp.

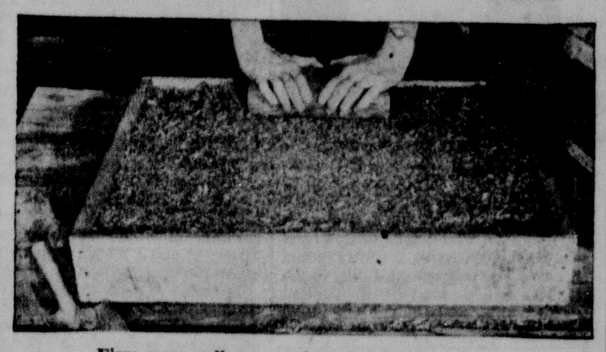
This may be used indoors or outdoors, if the seed box is provided with drainage, which will prevent flooding in a rain. A wick-watered box is easily prepared as the illustrations show. First, a hole is bored in the bottom of the box. Through this hole a wick eight inches long is drawn. The top of the wick is frayed and imbedded in the soil which fills the box; the bottom drops into a pan below. As long as there is water in the pan, the soil will keep moist, and your seedling plants will not suffer from lack of it.

If a large pan is used, enough water for several days may be supplied at one time, allowing you to go away from home, even during the critical period of infancy when, with other methods of watering, daily inspection would be necessary.

The best material for a wick is fibre glass, which is sold for the purpose, and which will last for years. A piece of new clothes line will also serve for the few weeks necessary to bring up plants, but if used too long it will disintegrate. The degree of moisture maintained in the soil of the box may be controlled to some extent by varying the height of the box above the pan, but be careful not to get the box so high that the wick ceases to operate.

Early Sown Seeds Need Protection from Fungi


Rub anti-biotic sphagnum moss through sieve to cover seeds.


Firm moss well over seeds and water from above.

Among the perils which seeds may encounter, when they first begin to grow, is disease. Most plant diseases are caused by fungi, which are themselves plants, which live as parasites on other plants or organic materials. The particular disease which threatens seed is known as "damping off."

This may attack seeds when they first sprout, and prevent the growth from breaking through the soil; or it may wait until the seedling plant is growing well, and cause it to wilt overnight. Protection from fungi can be given by coating seed with a chemical which will destroy the spores of fungi, but this chemical must be especially chosen for seed treatment, since some disinfectants are harmful to seed. In purchasing, be sure to say what seeds you plan to treat.

A tiny amount, say as much as you can lift on the end of a toothpick, may be put into the seed packet before the seed are removed, and shaken well. This will coat the seeds sufficiently to protect them.

When seeds are sown outdoors early in the spring, before the weather is settled, they should be treated, since cold, damp soil encourages fungi, and prevents speedy germination. Indoors, the danger of fungus attack is always present, and may be countered either by chemical treatment, or by the use of sphagnum moss, which will not allow fungi to grow.

A thin layer of this moss—say half an inch—which has been passed through a sieve, may be spread over the soil in a seed box. Sow the seed in this, just as you would in soil. Then cover with moss which has been rubbed through a sieve, firm well, and water from above. There is no danger of overwatering when moss is used.

Polka Dots Make Billfold Pretty


Polka-dotted trim on this girl's hat makes a fashionable tie-up with matching trim on new washable white leather wallet.

By Alicia Hart
NEA Staff Writer

The ladies' wallet which has helped to reduce handbag clutter and purse fumbling is making assertive claims now as an accessory as glamorous as a vanity case.

As far away from a man-styled wallet as a girl's can go is a new washable white leather billfold banded with polka dots. This wallet is offered as an alluring inducement to a lady to confine her change, bills, house or car keys, theater tickets or what has she into a case which is available in a handbag with no need for searching.

If she wants to make the most fashionable uses of this smartly-styled wallet, she can match its polka-dotted trimming to the band, facing or bow on a hat.

Veterans End G. I. Training

Nearly 4700 World War II veterans in western Missouri and northeastern Kansas have completed a course of on-the-job training since the inception of the program.

W. F. Fidler of the local Veterans Administration office said that usually on-the-job training courses varied in length from six months to as high as four years, depending upon the needs of the trainee and the type of occupation where training was taken.

Of the total number who have completed this type of training, approximately 500 are disabled veterans who received individual supervision and special equipment from VA to assist in their rehabilitation, under Public Law 16. The balance, or 4200, are veterans who received their job training under the GI Bill. Fidler pointed out that many of the disabled veterans, because of their handicaps, had to be trained for an occupation totally different from the one followed before the war.

O. Myking Mehus, chief of the education and training division for the VA regional office in this area, praised employers for their cooperation in providing this job training, pointing out that most of this training has led to permanent employment for veterans.

One for the Book


Fan dancer Sally Rand chews thoughtfully on a pencil in New York as she tells newsmen her new book, "How to Be a Good Girl in a Big City," is near completion. Asked to show the manuscript, she said, "As you can see I don't have it on me."

You Can Help Larry


Larry wants to stand and walk alone like other kids of his age. You can help Larry and other handicapped children run and play by buying and using Easter Seals. Easter Seals are available from the Pettis County Crippled Children's Society.

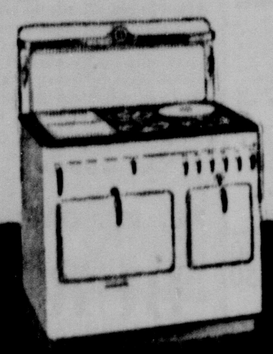
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The Flat Creek Extension Club held its March meeting with Mrs. M. V. Irvin, where a contributed luncheon was enjoyed at noon.

Mrs. J. T. Edmundson conducted the afternoon business meeting. Mrs. R. C. Wissman led the devotional. Roll call was answered with "a book or magazine my family enjoys." Minutes were read and approved.

4-H activities were discussed and all parents of 4-H members were invited to attend their March 29 meeting.

The money the club made serving coffee at the case show was turned over to the treasurer. It was announced that the club would have an April Fool's party, April 1, at the school house.

Mrs. D. B. Wilhoit and Mrs. S. G. Monsees gave an informative report from the food leaders meeting they attended. Their subject was "using canned foods to better advantage." They gave out and discussed recipes for the dishes they prepared and served at noon. A food quiz was also conducted.

The Pal box gifts were distributed and the meeting adjourned. Two visitors were present, Mrs. Albert Lueck and Mrs. Henry Patterson. Mrs. Patterson became a member.

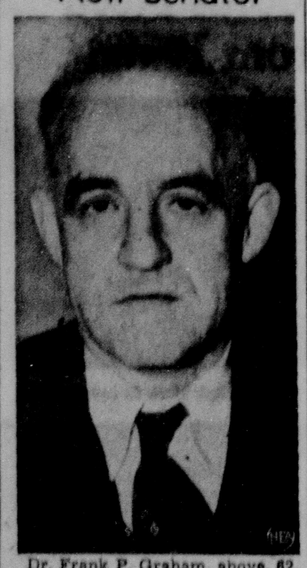
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ROGER THE LODGER

By Elizabeth R. Roberts

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I saw the door thrown open to a tall figure in khaki, whose patent leather hair and little black mustache completely transcended his uniform.

The characters in this story are completely fictitious. Likeness to anyone living or dead is purely coincidental. In contrast, the episodes are true, based upon antics which I viewed from a ringside seat.

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BACK in the horse-and-buggy days little girls were brought up not to speak to strangers, especially men. Mother began drumming this admonition into me when I was a very young child, and she never stopped as long as she lived. She must have had a premonition that talking to strangers, especially men, would lead to something. And it did.

Mother began cautioning me the first time I, a little girl in pigtails, was handed 10 cents for carfare and put on the crosstown trolley to spend the day with cousins who lived too far for me to ride my bike to see them. "Don't speak to strangers, especially men," she said the last thing that bright summer morning, without giving a reason, and I therefore promptly associated men with my dime.

Mother's advice was good, only it didn't go far enough. Where she fell down was in never cautioning me against speaking to strangers, especially men in uniform. If she had stressed that danger, I might never have fallen into the dubious occupation of running a rooming house.

It all began innocently enough. Great Falls has each winter a Community Concert series. Nothing so vulgar as tickets is sold; we subscribe to the course and are assigned regular seats with the result that after the first performance or two we all feel at home and amongst friends, seated in our usual seats and surrounded by the usual faces. At the third concert of our winter season, there were two strange faces sitting next to me—an Air Corps captain and his wife. The captain smiled agreeably, introduced himself, explained that the Websters, who usually occupied those seats, were out of town and had invited him and his wife, whom he now presented, to use their space. I mumbled introductions to my husband, conscious of the fact that with only his word for reference, Mother would still have counted Captain Homeless a stranger. Subsequent events proved she would have been right.

"Mrs. Roberts," Captain Homeless said, "I understand you have a larger house than you are using." There was no tattletale gray on the faces of acquaintances sitting near us, and I marveled that a newcomer to town had found out so quickly that Robbie and I had a whole house to ourselves.

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OUR only son was in the Navy and our help was folding parachutes at the Supply Depot. The war had brought two air bases, a weather station, and a supply depot to Great Falls. That practically doubled the population and, since building was frozen, created a full-fledged housing shortage. I'd heard of new people in town ringing doorbells in their search for a place to live, but it hadn't worried me.

The captain continued: "I got leave of absence from my job and a spot commission, but I don't mind telling you that trying to make both ends meet on a captain's pay isn't funny. The hotel costs more than I make. We've got to find other quarters. Could you let us have a room?"

"Oh, I'm terribly sorry," I said. "Not possibly." Feeling shabby at refusing and trying to make amends, for I knew what it was to be strictly up against it for lodging, I tried to vindicate myself. "You see, I have no help. I run a Canteen and work at the Sewing Room. One day each week I take a shift as nurses' aide in the hospital." I babbled on—he looked so interested. "What with one thing and another, my house is a mess. The silver never gets polished. The corners never get dusted. I'd feel mortified to have your wife see it." I included her with a smile. "Now if you were a lone man," I led with my chin, "that might be different. Men aren't observant, I've found." I signed off with a you-see-how-it-is look of resignation. Too late I realized I'd stepped on a verbal banana peel.

Captain Homeless let me have my moment. Then he said, "I have just the right fellow for you, Mrs. Roberts. A sergeant. He's quite a gentleman, I think. He's living at the hotel, too, and thoroughly unable to afford it. It would be a Christian charity for you to take him in and I'd even forgive you for not taking us."

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ROB, though he'd been tuned in to this point, suddenly went off the air. I could not reach him with my frantic S O S; he was impervious to the pressure of my foot.

Driving home from the concert, I waited for Rob to open the subject of the roomer. When we were nearly to our corner and he hadn't said a word about it, I prodded him. A doctor once diagnosed me as a truck with a one-cylinder engine, whereas he found Rob to be as sleek as his convertible, ungiven to hard work, but with a wealth of power in reserve. Therefore I wasn't surprised when Rob said, "I think we're doing enough for the war effort. Being air raid warden is no cinch, and you're up to your ears in Red Cross activities. Besides," he added plaintively, "we gave Bill."

"No we didn't. He gave himself. We couldn't have kept him out."

We rode along in silence for another block or two. Then I tried again to clear with Sydney. "What do you think about renting a room?" I repeated.

"I think you've been talking when you should have been listening. You've talked yourself into something. Now let's see you talk yourself out."

I reminded him of the time we landed in New Orleans from a Caribbean cruise with a three-day interval before sailing on another liner to New York and found every hotel jampacked. How we faced the prospect of sitting up all night in a lobby chair, maybe for three nights. How he finally, through a clerk in a book store who half knew him because he often loaded up on reading matter before a sailing, found us a room with a widow who didn't object to making a little easy money—$10 a night looked to me like easy money, but at that time I'd never had a lodger. Mrs. Riley even sent up tray breakfasts.

"What are you talking about?" Rob interrupted my flow of compassion. "This guy has a place to sleep."

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I'D had 20-some years experience with Rob's gruff bark. I took another tack.

"Yes, I know," I agreed, "but somehow, under the circumstances, it doesn't seem quite decent for us to maintain a 10-room house just for ourselves." Truth was, I had learned there was some fun to running an establishment. Bill's crowd had named our house "Grand Central Station;" we were used to having gangs mill through with the gay abandon of picnickers.

Rob wasn't. He looked at me in disgust. He said with overemphasis, as one speaks to a backward child or a foreigner learning English, "Get this: (a) It isn't our fault there is a housing shortage. (b) If those fools in Washington were half as smart as they think they are, we wouldn't have a housing shortage. (c) You're out of your head if you think I'll let you turn our house into a hotel. (d) Taxes and rationing I have to take, but roomers I don't. (e) It's a helluva note when a man's made to feel guilty because he occupies his own house."

Sensing how he felt, I considered the subject closed and myself safe from my inclinations, when a booming basso next day asked over the telephone if I were the Mrs. Roberts of whom Captain Homeless had spoken. I couldn't deny it. The voice said he was Sergeant Phillips.

"Oh!" I exclaimed, "I'm up to my elbows in cookie dough." I distinctly heard lips smack.

"In an hour then?"

"Yes, an hour should be all right."

"Roger," he barked in most clipped and military syllables.

Full speed ahead I finished baking the cookies, changed out of the house dress, and was flapping powder on my red and perspiring face when the front door chimes rang. "I'll get it!" Rob called. He and a fire horse had something in common in the matter of bells. As I descended the stairs, I saw the door thrown open to a tall figure in khaki, whose patent leather hair, sideburns, and little black mustache completely transcended his drab uniform.

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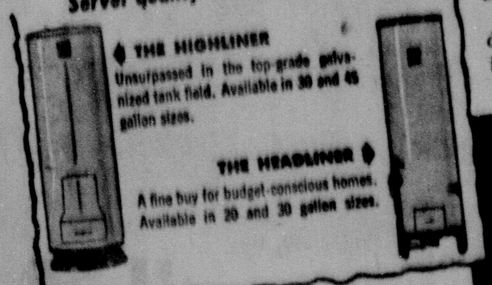
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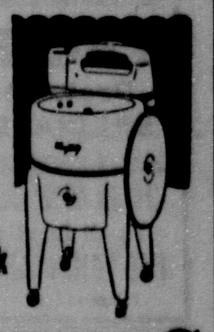
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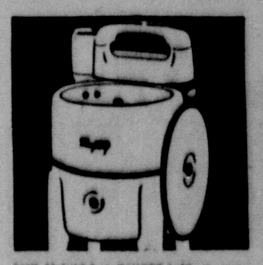
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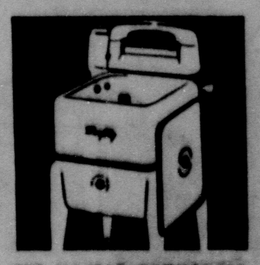
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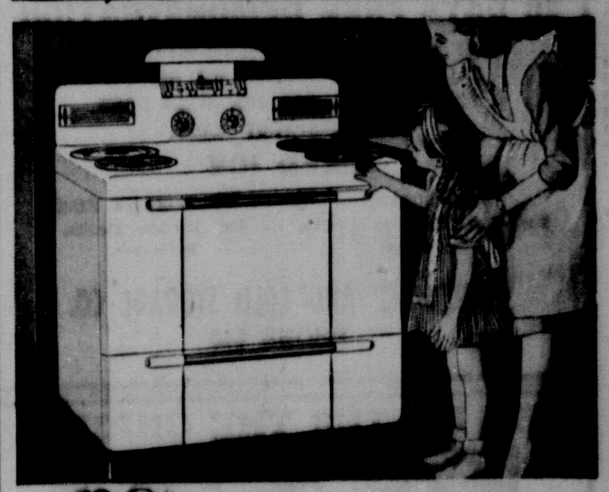
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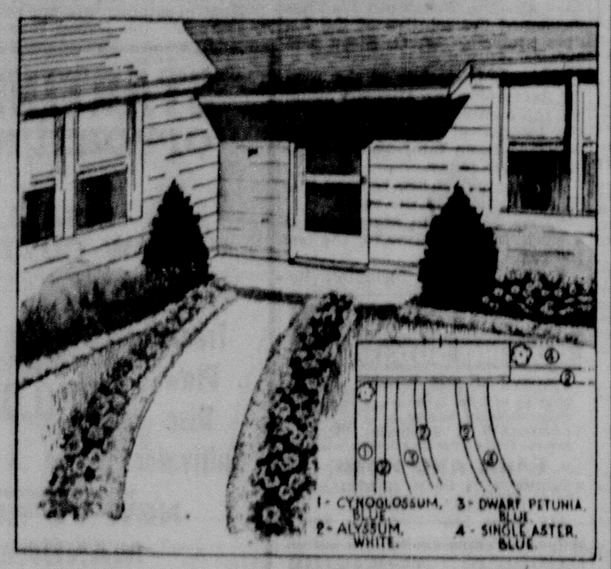
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In the illustration white and blue flowers are grown as borders to the path and along the foundation line of the house. No shrubs are used except small evergreens flanking the door, and these should be kept small by annual shearing. Of the flowers suggested, petunias should be started in a seed box, in the house, or in a hot-bed or cold frame, since ninety to one hundred days are required to produce flowering plants.

Cynoglossum, the Chinese forget-me-not, and single asters will also bloom earlier, if given a start under protection before it is safe to move them to the garden. They can be sown outdoors, however, and will flower in sixty days. Sweet alyssum is easily grown from seed sown direct in the garden. A compact, dwarf variety should be used, and the plants will do better if thinned out to stand at least six inches apart. When plants begin to grow "leggy" and flowers to be fewer, they can be sheared like a hedge.

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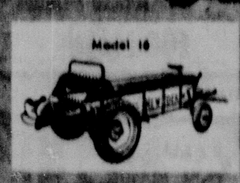
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Bud Abbott and Lou Costello put the heat on Dick Powell in the above scene from "In The Navy", which opens today at the Liberty. The companion piece features another pair of zaneys, Ole Olsen and Chic Johnson.

Sound You Can't Hear May Scare Birds

BIRMINGHAM, England—(AP)—This city is trying something people can't hear to get rid of birds they can hear only too well.

Starlings around the civic center, 20,000 strong by best estimates, chirp so loudly they're driving office workers and concert-goers to distraction.

The city tried to shoo them away with loud noises—but the wouldn't shoo.

It tried to scare them off with stuffed owls—but they wouldn't scare.

Now, a council official says, engineers are experimenting with supersonic waves.

"The engineers believe," he said hopefully, "that if they can find the right wave-length they will send the starlings packing.

Dog Licenses Number 485

The City Collector, Paul Alpert and City Poundmaster William Hatfield, issued a total of 485 dog licenses last year which will expire next month April 30.

Dog licenses will be due and payable on May 1 this year.

All dogs kept in the city limits over the age of four months or have been weaned or taken from their mother must wear a dog license.

Dog owners are also issued a metallic tag for their dogs that have the name and address of the owner, number and date of register on the license.

The license fee is one dollar a year for either spayed female and male dogs, and two dollars and fifty cents for unspayed female dogs.

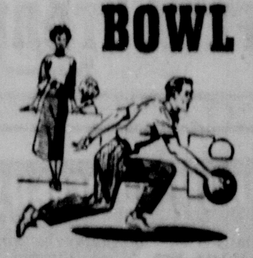
The city poundmaster has the authority to impound every dog found in the city not wearing a license tag.

Floridaring



French-style bathing costumes (can you call them suits?) have made their debut on Florida beaches. This one, worn by Trudy Knesh in Miami Beach, is made of pastel cotton faille.

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The jury wound up completely stuck, and the judge called it a mistrial.

Oyster Proves Fishy

SYDNEY, Australia—(AP)—A fish 2½ inches long, was found inside an oyster opened by Mr. Roger Jordan of Sydney. The fish had eaten the oyster's flesh.

The devilfish or giant octupus is the largest mollusk.

LISTEN! by Jim Carson

Sunday afternoon and evening listening on KMBC features a solid block of top-notch entertainment, diversified in character, for your listening pleasure. And, in addition to **Jack Benny, Amos 'n' Andy,** and your other favorite Sunday stars, we'd like to call your attention to the **Family Hour of Stars** presentation this afternoon at 5 p. m. **Ginger Rogers** will portray a fetching outlaw of the West in the "Capture of Kitty Stone." It's a light, semi-dramatic story of mistaken identity, with some unusual results.

This afternoon at 12:30, **Tell It Again** will feature a dramatization of **Heidi** on KMBC. The story of the little Swiss girl is familiar to old and young alike, and we're sure you'll enjoy this afternoon's presentation.

One of the newer members of the talent staff of KMBC-KFRM is **Tiny Tillman,** western ballad singer. Rotund and good-natured **Tiny** plays the guitar, and his interpretations of western songs have made him a big favorite with radio audiences. **Tiny** is heard on his own program at 6:15 each morning on KMBC. In addition, he's featured on **Dinnerbell Roundup** at noon, and on Saturday night he's a permanent member of the KMBC **Brush Creek Follies** stage show at Ivanhoe Temple, and broadcast over KMBC. You'll be hearing more from **Tiny,** and we believe that you'll like him more each time you hear him.


TINY TILLMAN

Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, **Hollywood Theatre** will present a romantic comedy "Collector's Item," starring **Celeste Holm.** It's a story about a girl who turns glamorous to win her man, and then finds that her plan has backfired.

On Thursday evening at 8 on KMBC, **Edward G. Robinson** will star on "Suspense." This is one of the best mystery-dramas on the air, and with **Robinson** in the leading role of this April Fool's Day story entitled "You Can't Die Twice," there will be plenty of intrigue and a dramatic climax.

Radio Playhouse, heard on KMBC each Friday at 9 p. m., this week presents a psychological thriller entitled "Apology." Star of this week's performance will be **Elliott Lewis,** playing the part of a timid druggist. A nagging wife and an over-bearing father-in-law are important characters in the dramatization.

For early evening listening each Saturday on KMBC, we'd like to suggest the **Vaughn Monroe Show.** The **orchestra, Monroe** and the **Moonmaids** team to present most popular songs of the week from coast to coast. It's a tuneful half-hour, designed for easy listening.

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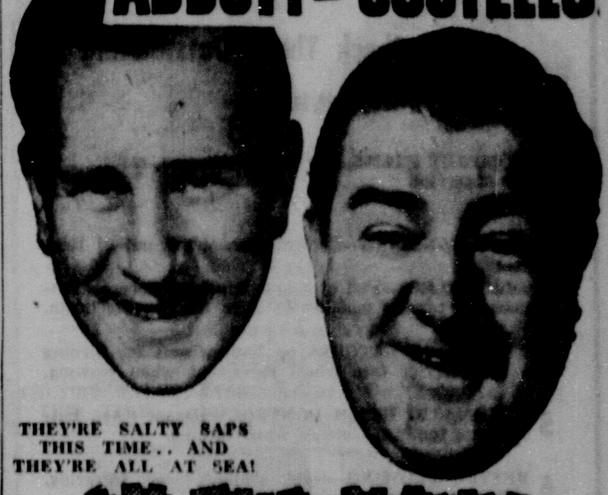
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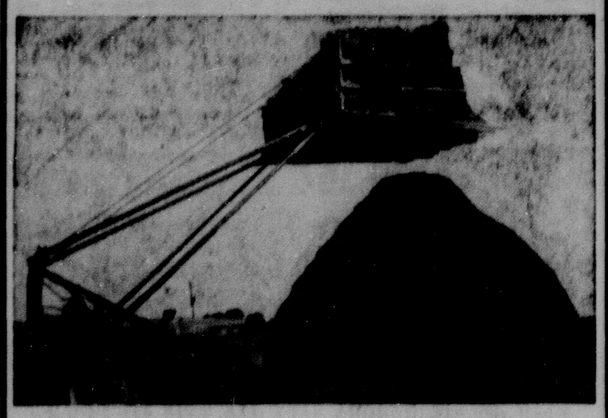
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The proposed work consists of: Clearing of trees nd brush, grading, surface gravel, drainage pipe, build 7'x4'x20' concrete culvert.

All proposals must be on forms provided by the County Court for that purpose.

Plans, specifications, maps, and other contract documents may b- examined at the office of the County Clerk, Sedalia, Missouri, or at the office of the county highway engineer.

Plans, maps, specifications and other contract documents, and the proposal form may be secured from the office of the engineer upon deposit of $5.00, which deposit will be returned upon the return of all such contract documents in good condition, within 5 days after date set for receipt of bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

COUNTY COURT PETTIS COUNTY,
By J. V Kesterson,
Presiding Judge.

"I, the undersigned county clerk of Pettis County, hereby certify that the foregoing was approved by the county court of said county by an order of record on the 10th day of March, 1949.

"In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said county this 10th day of March, 1949.

J. H GREEN,
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The proposed work consists of: Clearing of brush and trees, grading, surface gravel, oak floor for 16'x150' bridge, drainage pipe repairs to concrete bridge.

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Program Would Help Indians

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—The Pick-Sloan Plan has "hastened the solution of the Indian problem," W. G. Sloan said today.

Sloan is co-author of the plan for developing the Missouri basin. He represented the department of the interior at a meeting of the Missouri basin inter-agency committee here today.

He reported 70,000 Indians live on reservations in the basin.

"They have been segregated in a world by themselves for the last 100 years," he said.

Trying to adjust them into the basin development program is "full of headaches," he said, because more than half a million acres of their 12,000,000 acres of reservations are in project areas.

He put the problem this way:

"How eventually are we going to assimilate the Indian into the rest of the nation on an equal basis?"

The Indian service has been working on that for a hundred years, Sloan said. If the development program does nothing else, it will go a long way toward solving the prblyem.

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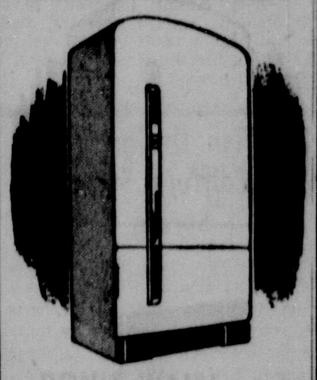
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Experiment in Cow Breeding

By Cal Brumley

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 25.—(AP)—A breeding experiment in which scrub cows would produce high quality calves was reported today to be approaching the practical stage.

The process consists of transplanting the unborn calf of a high grade cow to the womb of a scrub. The purpose is to produce more meat and more milk per animal on the same amount of feed at a saving of time.

The method is termed OVA (egg) transplantation by its originators. Ray Umbaugh, a bustling 28-year-old scientist, is developing the process at the foundation of applied research here. The project has been in the research stage seven years.

In the process, Umbaugh explained, an egg from a fine quality cow is fertilized by artificial insemination. After fertilization the egg is taken from the fine animal and placed in the uterus of the common cow. Artificial insemination, which the last few years has become widely used in animal breeding, consists of mechanical transfer of the sperm of thoroughbred sires to the wombs of the mothers.

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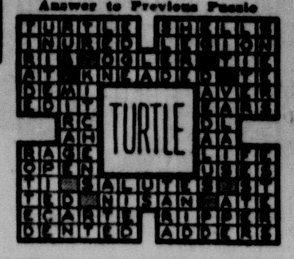
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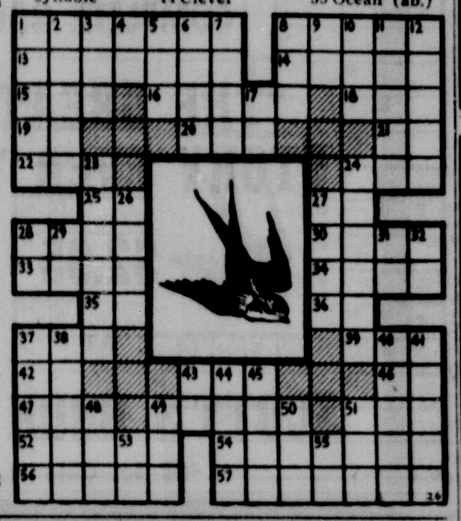
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21 Symbol for samarium
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33 Portent
34 West Indian shrub
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47 Anger
49 Mourning Virgin
51 Atmosphere
52 It is a —— bird
54 Sorrow
56 Not tardy
57 Trailed

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1 Leather thong
2 Has on
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4 Lieutenant (ab.)
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8 Chum
9 Alleged force
10 Land parcel
11 Expunge
12 Calyx leaf
17 Indian mulberry
23 Mean
24 Flag
26 Dispatched
27 Former Russian ruler
28 Negative reply
29 Mystic syllable
31 Three-toed sloth
32 Place (ab.)
37 Get up
38 Southern constellation
40 Aromatic herb
41 Peeled, as a potato
43 East Indies (ab.)
44 Clever
45 Passage in the brain
48 Organ of hearing
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50 Eucharistic wine vessel
51 Noah's boat (Bib.)
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Hal Boyle Says

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK, March 25.—(AP)—The machine is outgrowing people.

It is leaving the average citizen farther and farther behind. He no longer can understand it. At least I can't.

Recently I reached my 38th birthday—and with no sense of victory. After 35 a man celebrates a birthday with the morbid pleasure of a small boy picking at a scab on his knee.

Just for the fun of it I sat down and figured out some of the things I didn't know. It was an amazing list—amazing that a man could live so long and learn so little. The man of the future will probably grow to know more and more about less and less. Until finally he will be able to go through life by just saying "ugh."

("That's about all you say around the house now on most days, rover boy," said my wife).

Still Can't Do

Here were some of the things I couldn't—and still can't do:

Drive a motor car. (You'd be surprised how many people can't.)

Screw a light bulb in less than ten minutes.

Fix an electric socket, or repair a gadget of any kind.

Tune in a television set or operate a record-changer phonograph.

Sew on a button.

Play any card game except "Old Maid." I also can't play chess, dominoes or assemble a cut-out picture puzzle.

Identify any bone in the body with certainty except the femur. (The only reason I know this is that a friend of mine broke his, and told me where it was.)

Know a Rose

Recognize any flower by name except the rose, or any trees except the elm and the oak.

Build anything, including a doghouse, although I have spent some of the best years of my life in these structures.

Tell the music of any composer except Stephen Foster.

Play a musical instrument or speak a foreign language.

Tell a mushroom from a toadstool or spinach from kale.

Inhale a cigaret without coughing, or give artificial respiration to a drowning person.

Blow bubble gum—although I've tried—or mix any drink except a highball or an aspirin parfait.

Cook anything except a hard-boiled egg.

Bend over and touch the floor without buckling my knees.

Talk into a microphone without enduring fright, or cash a personal check without a sense of unreasoning guilt.

Read any best-seller novel that has a picture of a bosomy heroine on the jacket.

Can't Ride a Horse

Ride a horse, milk a cow or hit a clay pigeon with a shotgun.

All of these inabilities leave me feeling rather useless and helpless. And yet I think the average man everywhere can compile a similar list of his own. Most men no longer live in the forest like Daniel Boone. And they are trapped in a wilderness world of gadgets that nobody can understand but a technician.

They are caught in a twilight ignorance between the lost world of the woods and Doc Einstein's bright new age.

And the changes come faster and faster. The citizen doesn't understand the atom. But he sure does feel like one—an atom circling an unknown orbit.

Tiny Easter Tintypes





Family album fashions take a bow in Easter finery for small fry. Reminiscent of an Edwardian dandy's coat is the velvet-collared, pin-checked worsted topcoat with matching trousers modeled by the young cyclist (far left). His companion's sporty plaid washable flannel suit combines tall trousers with a short bolero jacket. The little girl promenades in a Victorian-styled, high-waisted coat of pink wool covert with matching poke bonnet.

To Beautify LaMonte Park

The Thursday club of LaMonte held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Raymond Wasson on March 17. Fifteen members and one visitor, Mrs. Jewel Overby, were present.

At the business meeting which preceded the program, a letter was read from the president of the LaMonte Homemakers, asking the cooperation of the Thursday club in helping to beautify the LaMonte park by planting flowers and shrubs and building tables and ovens. The club voted in favor of doing so. The club also voted in favor of making a donation to the Red Cross and the Crippled children's fund.

The food leaders, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Ficken, had charge of the program. The subject was "Meals From the Cellar." Several new recipes were given and the leaders, together with the hostess prepared and served three of the dishes that were served at the leaders training meeting in Sedalia.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Ficken on April 14.

Funny Business *By Hershberger*



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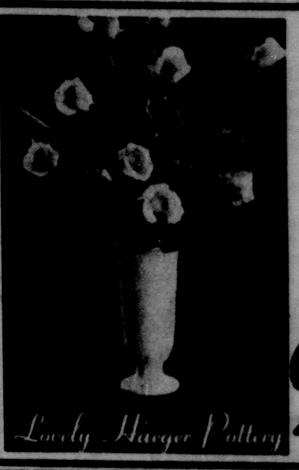
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